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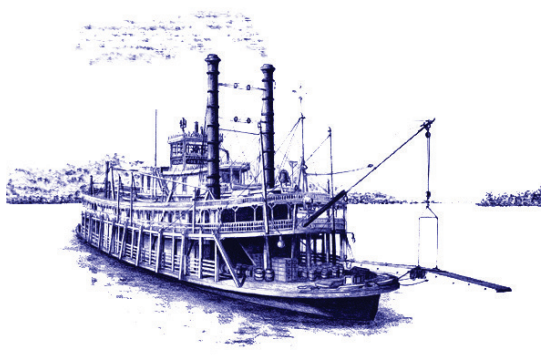

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Murder suspect captured after year on the lam

BY COURIER STAFF REPORT

Troopers with the Indiana State Police arrested a Jefferson County man on Wednesday who had been wanted on a warrant for a Cincinnati murder since April of 2020.

Early Wednesday morning police responded to multiple locations in northern Jefferson County to search for Travis Edward Bailey, 26, who was wanted in the alleged murder of Megan Donahue, 34, of White Oak, Ohio, on Cincinnati's northside last April.

Troopers with the Indiana State Police-Versailles Post along with officers with the Jefferson County Sheriffs Department had made efforts over the past year to locate Bailey, who was from Commiskey and believed to still be in the area. Those efforts led troopers with the ISP-Versailles All Crimes Policing Team to new information this week that Bailey was hiding out at a residence in the area.

Travis Edward Bailey

Shelby Geisler

Troopers from the Versailles District, assisted by two Indiana State Police SWAT Teams and officers from the Jefferson County Sheriffs Department, located Bailey hiding inside one of the residences Wednesday and he was soon taken into custody without further incident.

The investigation began when Cincinnati police responding to a car crash found Donahue shot inside her vehicle in the 4500 block of Colerain Avenue on April 9, 2020. She was transported to the University of Cincinnati Medical Center, where she died.

Weeks later, police arrested a woman, Shelby Geisler, 22, of Madison, who they say along with Bailey had met Donahue the night before. On the morning of the shooting, Geisler had allegedly reached into Donahue's car and tried to take her cellphone. When that didn't work, police say Bailey, the father of Geisler's child, shot Donahue who then tried to flee the scene and crashed her car.

Geisler and Bailey were indicted by a Hamilton County, Ohio, grand jury in July 2020 on charges that included aggravated murder. Geisler has been in the Hamilton County jail since April 24, 2020, when she was arrested on a robbery charge in connection with the incident.

After the indictments, a warrant was issued for Bailey's arrest with police appealing to the public for information in the case. A photo of Bailey was released at that time showing a man with a closely trimmed beard and noting that he had ties to the Commiskey area as well as Switzerland County and Milton, Kentucky. The booking picture of Bailey taken after his arrest on Wednesday showed a somewhat thinner man with a much longer beard.

After his arrest, Bailey was transported to the Jefferson County Jail where he was incarcerated pending extradition back to Cincinnati to face the charges filed there.

Edwards gets 13 years in assault on pregnant woman

Case was first jury trial since pandemic shutdown

BY COURIER STAFF REPORT

A Madison man has been sentenced to 13 years in the Indiana Department of Correction in connection with the October 2020 battery of a Madison woman who was six months pregnant at the time of the beating.

Jacob A. Edwards

Jacob A. Edwards, 22, was sentenced on March 29 in Jefferson County Circuit Court after being convicted at a jury trial on March 3. Edwards was convicted of battery on a pregnant woman, a Level 5 felony, and later pleaded guilty to a separate pending Level 6 felony battery case — an assault on another inmate — and as a habitual felony offender. In addition, the convictions resulted in a revocation of a suspended sentence in an additional matter, allowing the Jefferson County Prosecutor's Office to secure a 13-year sentence.

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Photos by Bob Demaree

Duke Energy is in the process of replacing aged wooden pole structures and associated overhead lines along U.S. 421 between Madison and Versailles.

Duke upgrading poles, lines along U.S. 421

BY BOB DEMAREE

Duke Energy has been working for the past few months on a Grid Strengthening Project in which aged wood pole structures and associated overhead lines are being replaced.

The current project is along U.S. 421 from Madison to Versailles and while most of the work takes place on the side of the roadway, there have been some temporary lane closures.

Lew Middleton of Duke Energy corporate communications wasn't aware of lane closure some motorists have experienced along U.S. 421, but said such adjustments are made in the interest of safety.

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Above left: Duke Energy crews work along U.S. 421 between Madison and Versailles, resulting in one lane traffic controlled by a flaggers at the site. **Above right:** Most recently, a work crew has been replacing utility poles on the east side of the highway across from the former Jefferson Proving Ground.

Sunrise changes on pace to balance golf course budget

BY MARK CAMPBELL

Less than a month into spring, the City of Madison's combination of belt-tightening, rate increases and a new approach to monetizing play at the city's Sunrise Golf Course has the 18-hole municipal links on course to balance its budget in 2021 and perhaps even generate a small profit.

Earlier this year Mayor Bob Courtney and Parks Director Matt Woolard asked for and received approval to pass along more of the operating costs at Sunrise to users through rate increases while also trimming the budget by reducing full-time employees in favor of seasonal help and seeking more sponsorships and a three-way alcohol sales license.

Receipts for season passes, private cart usage and cart storage, most of which were increased as part of the plan, are down so far this spring but not at a level that concerns the city at this point, especially if that means more users will opt to pay daily greens and cart fees to play and the city can attract more golfers from outside the community through its online registration system RecDesk.

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JCBT commits $50K sponsorship to Regatta, another $10K to VMI for event promotion

BY BOB DEMAREE

With sponsorship money on the decline due to revenue losses during COVID-19, Madison Regatta officials recently went before the Jefferson County Board of Tourism asking for financial help, and on Thursday night, the board held a special meeting to appropriate $50,000 toward this year's Madison Regatta & Roostertail Music Festival with an additional $10,000 earmarked for Visit Madison Inc. to market the event.

"The Regatta needs to happen and it's vital to the community," said JCBT board member Trevor Crafton.

"This is huge," said Madison Regatta president Greg Thorpe, who said JCBT's commitment to appropriate the money and "to take the time and meet on late notice" is a strong indication of "how much they care about what's going on in the community."

Thorpe said the Regatta is also involved in talks with Madison Mayor Bob Courtney with hopes of receiving a similar amount of funding from the City of Madison.

Thorpe noted the race "has never been canceled" due to funding but funding will determine how much they are able to do for this year's event, which is scheduled for July 2-4. He said COVID-19 has impacted business and industry and that has reduced the amount of sponsorship dollars that are available.

"We're not at the level of sponsorship dollars that they need," Thorpe said. "We definitely want to do a Regatta. It's just how that's going to look." He said the $50,000 commitment from JCBT "definitely helps" toward having a more full program for the Regatta.

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Pence visits Madison gathering feedback on energy legislation

BY BOB DEMAREE

U.S. Congressman Greg Pence was in Madison Thursday while touring his Sixth Congressional District to gather feedback on energy legislation.

Pence was named to the House Energy and Commerce Committee in January. Since then he has visited all 19 counties in the district seeking feedback about energy, noting that after receiving that information, he is visiting constituents to find out "what's missing."

He talked specifically about the Green New Deal and said while "there's a lot that's good in theory" there are practical considerations too. He used the Indiana Kentucky Electric Corporation Clifty Creek plant as an example. "If they were to close that plant, what do they replace it with? The output is twice as much per day as all the solar farms in Indiana," Pence said.

He said it's important to get out into the district because it has become "tremendously difficult" to interact with constituents who want to see him in Washington D.C. due to both the pandemic and new security measures after the Capitol insurrection on Jan. 6.

Bob Demaree

U.S. Congressman Greg Pence in Madison Thursday.

"Nobody can come into the building," Pence said, adding that he himself is restricted in access. He said he will go to his office and to the floor to vote, but is limited beyond that.

"It's not as organized," he said, noting a lot of business is done through videoconferencing on Zoom.

Madison Mayor Bob Courtney was among those who joined Pence for lunch in downtown Madison during the visit. Courtney asked for Pence's assistance on projects impacting Madison.

"In appropriations season, we go to all the constituents, cities and counties, and ask them what's important," Pence said, adding that he can work work toward seeing what funding is available for those projects.

Pence, a native of Columbus, considers his hometown as his favorite community in the district, but there was discussion from Madisonians at the lunch table that Madison should be his second favorite community in the district.

"Every town I go to is my second favorite town," Pence laughed.

Recycling options better alternative to illegal dumping

BY BOB DEMAREE

Evidence of illegal dumping at various locations throughout Jefferson County brought County Surveyor Mike Pittman to Thursday's County Commissioners meeting hoping to emphasize recycling opportunities.

Pittman said illegal dumping can result in heavy fines for perpetrators, and encouraged county residents to seek legitimate ways to dispose of materials, specifically taking advantage of opportunities at the Southeastern Indiana Recycling District by taking items to the Jefferson County Recycle Center, 6556 North Shun Pike Road, inside the former Jefferson Proving Ground.

Household hazardous waste such as chemicals, paint thinners and acids are accepted year-round at the Jefferson County location during regular business hours. On May 21-22, the center will also accept up to four automobile, light-duty truck or ATV tires per residence free of charge. On June 25-26, the center will accept up to two electrical items per residence such as TVs, computer monitors or other items. On July 23-24, the center will accept one refrigerant appliance (refrigerators, air conditioners, dehumidifiers and any item containing a refrigerant) at no charge.

Pittman said disposing items properly, "will make the county look a lot better and save us money."

In other business:

• The Commissioners unanimously approved a resolution expressing opposition to House Bill 1381 that would create some standards for where wind and solar projects can be located to make rules more consistent across the state. The resolution expresses that decisions regarding wind and solar development are best made by citizens living in the community, rather than by the wind and solar industry or state officials who live outside the community.

• Commissioner David Bramer announced a pre-bid meeting for jail construction will be Wednesday, April 7, with bids being taken in May. He said he will meet with the County Council at its meeting April 13 concerning funding that will allow ground work to begin before money from the bonds is available. Commissioner Ron Lee also noted that a meeting to discuss re-use of the old jail will be at 3 p.m. on Thursday, April 15, at the Jefferson County Public Safety Center, 620 Green Road, Madison.

• Pittman informed the Commissioners that the Surveyor's office, with the approval of Commissioners, will seek a person who is a registered professional surveyor and Jefferson County resident to provide services in locating, marking and documenting county section corners.

• Erica Cline, who has been managing the county's grant applications, reported that some grant opportunities require the grant writer hold specific certifications and that she will be receiving training in May to complete those certifications to clear the way for the county to apply for those grants. Cline also said she is researching a Community Connectivity for People with Disabilities grant that would assist people related to COVID-19 with social isolation that may have been experienced and situations of employment loss and training.

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"Due to the margin of safety from the highway, the contractor may elect to close a lane," said Middleton, who noted that Pike Electric is a contractor for the project.

Middleton said the work will "improve integrity and reliability of service to our Duke Energy customers in the area. Completion of this project ensures compliance with current distribution line standards."

The work involves approximately 20.35 miles of lines located partially within the city of Madison and primarily within unincorporated Jefferson and Ripley counties.

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According to Courtney, one of the reasons the course has struggled to make ends meet in the past is that the city has devalued the cost of a season pass with some users playing 80 or more rounds annually for the cost of about two dozen rounds by daily greens fee golfers. The course stays busy — 25,806 rounds last year alone — but only 6,759 of those rounds were by players paying daily greens fees and even then the fees charged were well below the going rate for a course as popular and well maintained as Sunrise.

The result was about a $300,000 deficit that was wrecking the city's Parks Department budget — a fund that must pay the upkeep and operation of 27 total parks — while providing no opportunity to set aside funds for long range maintenance and improvement projects to preserve Sunrise's standing as one of the best municipal courses in the region.

The report Courtney and Woolard provided to Madison Parks Board Tuesday indicates that some season pass golfers have opted to not be members this season or are delaying payment until warmer weather that's more suitable for play.

However, almost 1,200 rounds of golf were played in March and, depending on the weather, play typically doesn't pick up until April. The course has taken in more than $100,000 to date in adult, youth, spouse and college season passes as well as cart usage tags and cart storage reservations. Combined with cuts in expenses, a plan to sell tee-box sponsorships and the prospect of adding alcohol sales on the course and at other related events and outings, both Courtney and Woolard are projecting a revenue increase that combined with the reduction in expenditures will erase the $300,000 deficit from 2020 and leave about $10,000 in profits on revenue projections of $589,290 and expenditures of $579,169.

However, both Courtney and Woolard both said to hit those revenue marks, Sunrise will need to remain being a popular place to play and attract more daily greens fee players whether they live locally or visit from out of town. But if the city can hit its goal of balancing the budget at Sunrise — even by a dollar — that will put $300,000 back into the $1.5 million budget of the overall parks system and that could have a huge impact on the two dozen non-revenue producing parks the city hopes to make improvements to moving forward.

"It is our duty to efficiently manage city assets," Courtney said. "The plan we presented to the Parks Board will completely reverse the negative financial trends at Sunrise Golf Course that has cost the city millions in taxpayer dollars and simultaneously create a source of fresh capital for our neighborhood parks, all without raising a penny of taxes."

In other business at Tuesday's meeting, City Planner Nicole Schell said Madison is currently working to update its Parks Department Master Plan and part of that work is to solicit public comments and feedback on the parks system. She said an online questionnaire is being prepared for the city's main and parks websites and Facebook pages and a couple of open house meetings will be scheduled at later dates to allow residents a face-to-face opportunity to discuss the parks system.

The parks board also approved the hiring of Doug Buckler as manager of the 34-space Madison City Campground overlooking the Ohio River on Vaughn Drive. Buckler has previous experience as a campground attendant in Monroe County and will live on-site in his own recreational vehicle with $7,700 compensation for the seven-month camping season.

The Parks Board also adopted new deadlines and penalties related to the Jefferson County Soccer Association's rental of Rucker Sports Complex fields for games and practices in 2021. The new payment deadlines will be May 1 in the spring and Sept. 1 in the fall and the penalty for late payment will be 10% rather than 5%. Spring season rental is $1,000 while the fall is $2,000.

EDWARDS

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The trial and sentencing were the culmination of an investigation that began on Oct. 29, 2020, when police were dispatched to King's Daughters' Hospital in Madison at approximately 9:25 a.m. to interview the victim of a reported battery that occurred at the Presidential Estates apartments on Madison's hilltop.

The victim, pregnant at the time of the attack, told Madison Police Patrolman Joseph Gibson that she had been battered by Edwards and Breanna Hensley, 24, at the apartment complex. The victim stated that she and Edwards had gone to get food in her car earlier in the morning and had parked in a lot at Tractor Supply, where they got into a minor argument. The victim told police Edwards then drove to Presidential Estates where they began arguing again over her not wanting to engage in a relationship with Edwards while he was involved with another woman.

The victim told police Hensley pulled up during the argument and it was at that time that Edwards struck her and that both Hensley and Edwards knew of her pregnancy. The victim said the incident caused her to lose consciousness and she was held down and struck multiple times inside the vehicle before Edwards and Hensley exited her vehicle and left together.

During the investigation, police reviewed video surveillance footage provided by a citizen captured from a nearby apartment. The footage showed Edwards striking the victim several times while she was still in her vehicle. The entire recorded assault lasted approximately six minutes and Hensley can be heard on the video saying, "Jake, get off her, get off her," and asking him to go. The video also shows the two exiting the victim's vehicle and leaving together.

"The punishment certainly fits the crime here," said Jefferson County Prosecutor David Sutter. "Mr. Edwards engaged in extremely violent conduct against a pregnant woman. That, plus his lengthy criminal history, justifies his commitment to the Indiana Department of Correction for over a decade. Our community is safer, and the victim can sleep easier."

The case was the first trial held in Jefferson County following a lengthy shutdown due to the COVID-19 pandemic. The proceedings, which normally would have been held at the Jefferson County Courthouse, were moved to the Venture Out Business Center on Madison's hilltop to provide a safer venue and comply with new state protocols.

Sutter said the court system has reopened to a heavy caseload and additional trials are scheduled for the coming weeks.

"By the time of sentencing in this case, we have already completed another jury trial with several more scheduled in the coming weeks," said Sutter. "My office and I will remain vigilant in our fight to keep our streets safe and will make every effort to maintain the results the people of Jefferson County have come to expect and deserve."

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MADISON COURIER GIRLS BASKETBALL PLAYER OF THE YEAR

Madison's Nutley leaves large legacy, on and off the floor

BY DAVID CAMPBELL

Jade Nutley is a dominate player on the floor, a force on both the offensive and defensive ends that makes her presence felt in every game she plays.

But it was not Nutley's talent that made her one of the most highly-decorated players in Madison Consolidated High School history nor drew the eye of college coaches at all levels. Instead, it was Nutley's drive, her heart, her leadership and intelligence that made her stand out.

"Jade is type of player that every coach probably only gets once in their coaching career. Two if they're lucky," Madison coach Sonja Bowyer said. "I've been lucky to be able to watch all four of her years and be a part of it. It's a blessing because of everything she does. It's not just the scoring and it's not just the rebounding, it is the leadership that you have to have in order to be a successful team."

Nutley was the easy choice as Madison Courier Girls Basketball Player of the Year for a second-straight year, not because there weren't other outstanding candidates but because the 6-foot-1 Nutley was just that good. She is the first player since the Courier started these awards in 2011 to be a First Team selection all four years of high school and she joins former Cub Olivia Crozier as the only players to be honored with the top award twice.

Photos by Nina Campbell

Madison senior Jade Nutley is the Madison Courier Girls Basketball Player of the Year for the second year in a row.

Nutley is used to such honors. Although she was not selected for the Indiana All-Star Team — just the latest in a long line of deserving players from the area to be denied that honor over the past 20 years — she has won nearly everything else. She was an all-Hoosier Hills Conference selection for the fourth-straight year, an Associated Press All-State Honorable Mention selection, the Prep Girls Hoops Class 3A Indiana Player of the Year, a Southern Indiana Hoops Super 7 selection, and an ESPN Top 100 recruit nationally. She was even a First Team Academic All-State selection by the Indiana Basketball Coaches Association.

Nutley takes these awards in stride. She knows that they have only come her way because of hard work and the dedication that she has given to the sport she loves.

"It's easy to get down and I'm hard on myself a lot because I feel like I have a lot of weight on my shoulders," Nutley said. "But I felt like I pushed through and stayed level-headed for the most part. I'm a super competitive person and I want to win everything and I felt like I did what I had to do to get to end result."

Nutley leaves Madison as one of the best players in school history. Her 1,401 career points are third to only Brittany Myers (1,551) and Molly Holt (1,480) and her 932 rebounds passed Crozier for the most in school history. She averaged 18.1 points and 10.9 rebounds per game this past season while also dishing out 2.8 assists.

Nutley noted that she achieved nearly every goal she set for herself as an incoming freshman and is proud of the career she has had. While the Lady Cubs failed to win a sectional title in her four years — most likely a product of playing in sectionals that produced one state champion and two state runners-up in three of her four years — the program posted three-straight non-losing seasons for the first time in six years.

"I think it was more dreams than goals. When I came into high school, it wasn't like I was working on this or that. But when senior year came around, it was like 'Oh, these goals are in reach,' " Nutley said. "When I realized those goals were in reach, I set them for myself and I achieved them."

While Nutley dearly loved her four years at Madison, she's ready for the next chapter. She has signed to play at Indiana Wesleyan next season and will join a Wildcat program that reached the NAIA Final Four this past season. She can't wait to see what the future holds.

"We have a good class coming in and one of their best players is a senior but other than that, we're going to be a huge threat to everyone," Nutley said. "I think we can go forward and I'm hoping to win a ring or two."

Bowyer knows the legacy Nutley leaves at Madison.

"Just walk into the gym and you see her name on the board," Bowyer said. "She has broken so many records but not only that, she's doing it in the classroom as well. It's big shoes to fill and a big legacy because she does it on and off the floor."

ALL-COURIER AREA TEAM

Nutley, Wilcoxson highlight girls' All-Courier area First Team

Trimble's Edmondson Freshman of Year; Switzerland's Boggs Coach of Year

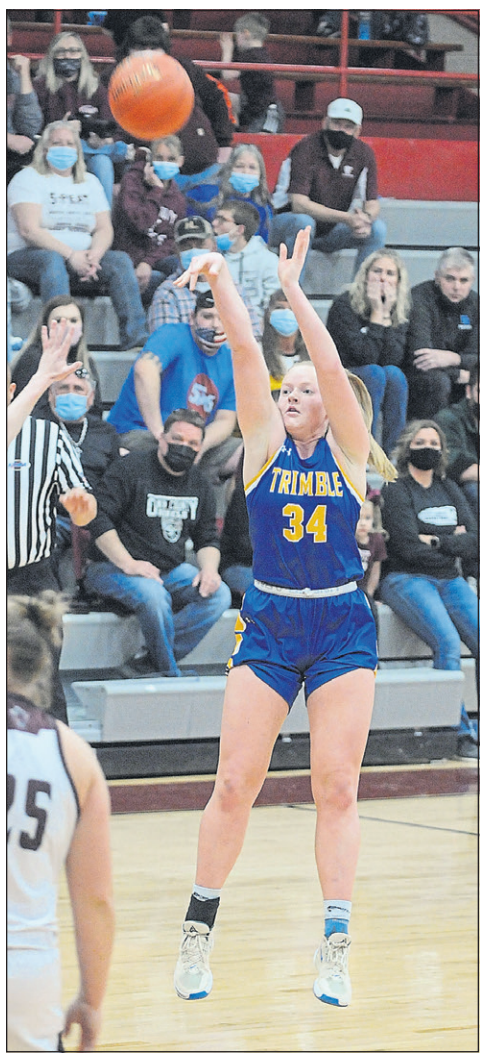
BY DAVID CAMPBELL

The COVID-19 pandemic played havoc with basketball schedules all season, but despite those issues, five of the six area teams posted double-digit wins in 2020-21 — the most in recent memory.

As a result, there were plenty of impressive individual performances on the season. Eight different players averaged double-digits in scoring — a record-high — and four others scored more that 9.0 points per game. Three players had single games of 30 points or more with 11 others scoring 20 or more points in a game.

Trimble County senior Shelby Wilcoxson, who shared the honor with Switzerland County's Aleiah Thomas last year, won the area's scoring championship, averaging 18.4 points per game. She edged out Madison senior Jade Nutley, who finished at 18.1.

Nutley and Wilcoxson highlight the All-Courier-area First Team — Nutley's fourth-straight selection and the first-time any player has achieved that — and Wilcoxson's third. They are joined by Southwestern senior Ellie Foley, making the team for the second-straight year, and Switzerland County junior twin sisters Jessie and Maddie Duvall, each of whom is making their first appearance on the list.



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TRIMBLE COUNTY'S SHELBY WILCOXSON

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SWITZERLAND COUNTY'S MADDIE DUVALL

David Campbell

Switzerland County's Mark Boggs led the Pacers to 17 wins and the sectional championship game and is this year's Madison Courier Coach of the Year.

The All-Courier area Second Team features three seniors — Southwestern's Ashton Goode, Shawe's Abigail Hill and Switzerland County's Keirstan Oeffinger — as well as Carroll County junior Jordyn Shepherd and Trimble County freshman Addison Edmondson. All but Goode and Shepherd are being honored for the first time.

Edmondson burst onto the scene this year, averaging 10.2 points per game for the 13-13 Lady Raiders and becoming the first area freshman to average double-digits in scoring since Shawe's Claire Higgins in 2013-14 (11.5 ppg). She is only the seventh freshman to average double-digits in scoring since the Madison Courier began keeping scoring stats in the 2001-02 season.

It's no surprise that Edmondson is named the Madison Courier Freshman of the Year, keeping a Trimble County tradition

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HANOVER ROUNDUP

Women's soccer wraps up unbeaten season, No. 1 seed

BY COURIER STAFF REPORT

Hanover women's soccer finished off an undefeated regular season with a sixth shutout on the season, 4-0 over Mount St. Joseph Wednesday on the road.

The Panthers out-shot Mount 15-5, including 11-4 on goal, and committed just two fouls to the Lions' 11. Hanover also had five corner kicks to four by Mount.

Hanover scored two goals in each half to pull away for the win. Kelsey Hughes scored on an assist by Jostin Reeves just four minutes into the game and Reeves then scored on a Bryn Rolfsen assist in the 29th minute.

Maggie Day hit the net off an assist by Reeves just minutes into the second half and the Panthers' final goal came late on an own goal by the Lions.

The win allows Hanover (8-0) to secure the No. 1 seed in the Heartland Collegiate Athletic Conference Tournament. The Panthers will host Rose-Hulman in the semifinals on Sunday, April 11.

MEN'S SOCCER WHIPS MOUNT 6-1

Hanover men's soccer closed out the regular season with a dominating 6-1 win over Mount St. Joseph at home on Wednesday.

The Panthers out-shot Mount 23-4 in the game, including 15-4 on goal. Hanover had nine corner kick chances to just one by the Lions.

Hanover got goals from four different players while taking a 4-0 first-half lead. Luke Eppler, Josh Hughes, Scott Zehnder and Fellipe Busato each hit the back of the net for the Panthers with Busato also getting an assist.

After Mount got on the scoreboard early in the second half, Eppler and Busato each scored again for the final margin.

Will Bedel stopped three shots in goal for the Panthers.

Hanover, now 7-1-1 overall, will be the No. 3 seed in the HCAC tourney and will host Manchester in the semifinals on Wednesday, April 7.

MEN'S LACROSSE ROLLS PAST EARLHAM

Hanover out-shot Earlham 42-15 and rolled to a 7-1 win in men's lacrosse Wednesday on the road.

The Panthers dominated the action from the start, getting goals from Michael Shaeper, Ian Kimmins and Nick Adams in the first quarter to take an early 3-0 lead. Hanover's cushion reached 6-0 thanks to goals by Luke Kowalka, Cole Finley and Eric Hopkins before Earlham broke up the shutout midway through the fourth quarter.

Jackson Wheeler added a final goal for the Panthers with just over two minutes to play for the final margin.

Kimmins, Hopkins, Zach Stone and Wheeler each had assists for the Panthers. Sean O'Meara stopped three shots in goal to pick up the win for Hanover.

Hanover, now 2-2 overall on the season and 1-0 HCAC, faces Elmhurst (Illinois) at Brebeuf Academy in Indianapolis today.

BASEBALL FALLS 12-7 TO ROSE-HULMAN

Rose-Hulman baseball banged out 13 hits and pulled away for a 12-7 win over Hanover Wednesday at Hanover.

Rose pushed across six runs in the top of the fourth to take a 7-2 lead and added one run in the fifth, two in the sixth and two more in the eighth to pull away.

Eric Roudebush hit two home runs and drove in three runs to lead Hanover's nine-hit attack. Le'ron Fleming added a solo home run, Connor Farnsley had two hits and Jake Brackett had two hits and a double. Charlie Burton had a double and scored a run.

Justin Pope (0-1) suffered the loss after allowing four earned runs on four hits in three and a third innings. He struck out two batters and walked two.

Hanover, now 9-8 on the season, traveled to Transylvania on Friday and heads to Franklin for two

David Campbell photos

Above: Trimble County's Addison Edmondson averaged 10.2 ppg and helped lead the Raiders to the regional tournament and is the Madison Courier Freshman of the Year. **Left:** Southwestern's Ellie Foley is shown during a recent contest.

TEAM

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alive. Since the 2011 season, five Lady Raiders have earned the honor: Paige Black (2011), Kaylee Clifford (2014), Bailey Duke (2016), Emma Ginn (2020) and now Edmondson.

Switzerland County paced the area with 17 wins this season and the Pacers reached the sectional championship game before falling to South Ripley. As a result, Switzerland mentor Mark Boggs was named Coach of the Year, his first honor and the first for the program.

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HS BASEBALL ROUNDUP

Madison opens Viking Classic with blowout win against Sequatchie County

BY COURIER STAFF REPORT

Madison baseball opened the Viking Classic in Eagleville, Tennessee, with a 10-3 blowout win over Sequatchie County on Thursday.

The Cubs got doubles from Zach Forner, Ben Orrill and Zander Vonch en route to nine hits total in the win. Forner was 2-for-3 with two RBIs and two runs scored while Orrill had two RBIs and scored a run. Keegan Clement had a hit and two RBIs and Myles Barnes, Drew Forner and Keaton Rowlett each had a hit and scored a run.

Drew Forner worked the first four innings on the mound against the Cubs' Tennessee opponent and allowed two earned runs on four hits with three strikeouts and four walks to get the win. Liam Murphy allowed a run on four hits with two strikeouts in two innings of relief.

Madison, now 2-0 on the season, played two games in the Viking Classic on Friday, against host Eagleville and Nashville's Brentwood Academy. The Cubs wrap up play in the tournament today against Hubbard, Tennessee.

After Madison returns home, the Cubs will host Greensburg in their home opener on Tuesday.

CARROLL FALLS AT WILLIAMSTOWN

Williamstown jumped on Carroll County early and pulled away for a 9-2 win in baseball Wednesday in Williamstown.

The host Demons scored four runs in the top of the first for all of the runs they would need then added a solo run in the second and three more in the third to take an 8-0 lead.

Carroll broke up the shutout with two runs in the sixth.

Landon Isaacs had a double and two RBIs to lead Carroll's offense while Andrew Shaw, David Smith, Luke Staley and Dhane Montgomery each added hits. Smith and Zayne Satchwell each scored runs.

Jaxon Hewitt started on the mound and lasted only a third of an inning to take the loss. Hewitt allowed four runs on six walks without a strikeout.

Carroll, now 0-2 overall and in the North Central Kentucky Conference, hosted Gallatin County on Friday and travels to Spencer County on Monday.

TRIMBLE ONE-HIT BY FRANKFORT

Frankfort pitchers Caleb Hockensmith and Ty Hancock combined on a one-hit shutout to beat Trimble County baseball 10-0 on Thursday in Frankfort.

Hockensmith, a senior, struck out six batters and allowed only one hit in four innings to get the win while Hancock, a sophomore, struck out two and walked two in two innings of relief.

A Spencer Stark second-inning single was Trimble's only hit in the game. Tucker Smith and Jacob Sullivan each drew walks.

J.T. Wilcoxson allowed nine earned runs on nine hits in four innings for Trimble and took the loss. The sophomore struck out four and walked five. Bryce Rose allowed one run on four hits in one inning of relief.

Trimble, now 0-2 on the season, traveled to Lloyd Memorial on Friday and heads to Henry County on Monday.

Madison softball rolls over Austin for 1st win

BY COURIER STAFF REPORT

Madison softball rolled over Austin 13-3 on Thursday to post the first win of the Tim Torrance coaching era at Madison.

The Cubs scored in every inning of the five-inning contest and pushed across five runs in the fifth to end the game early.

Madison collected 10 hits in the game with sophomore Cambryin Mann swinging the big bat, going 4-for-4 with two doubles, three RBIs and four runs scored. Lexi Sullivan was 2-for-4 with a double, an RBI and two runs scored, Molly Armbrecht had two hits and scored three times, Patty Johnson had a hit and three RBIs, and Immigin Mann had a hit and drove in two runs. Keara Eder did not get a hit, but had two RBIs and scored three runs.

Freshman Kallie Eder started in the circle and picked up the win. Eder struck out two and walked five in three scoreless innings while allowing only one hit.

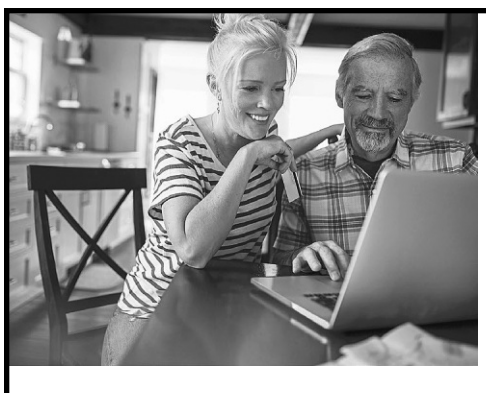
On Wednesday, Immigin Mann pitched well enough to win but the Cubs couldn't provide enough offense in a 2-1 loss at Greensburg.

Mann, a senior, struck out nine and walked three while allowing just two earned runs on four hits in six innings in the circle. But Madison's hitters managed just three hits and struck out 13 times against Greensburg freshman hurler Hermione Robinson.

"We didn't play too bad but 13 strikeouts will not win us many games," Torrance said. "We have room for much improvement."

Cambryin Mann, Immigin's younger sister, had two doubles to lead Madison's offense while Keara Eder had a hit and scored a run. Immigin Mann also had an RBI.

Madison, now 1-1, opened play in the Corydon Central Tournament on Friday. The tournament continues today.



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JEFFERSON COUNTY JAIL

ARRESTS & LODGINGS

March 31, 2021

Anna Kathleen Perfect, 24, for trafficking with an inmate, a Level 5 felony; possession of cocaine or narcotic drug, possession of methamphetamine and obstruction of justice, all Level 6 felonies; and possession of marijuana-prior conviction and possession of paraphernalia, both Class A misdemeanors. No bond.

Albert Lee Sharp, 54, on a Level 4 felony bench warrant for Jefferson County. Bond $20,000 cash.

Kelly M. Smith, 31, on an unspecified bench warrant. Bond $10,00 cash.

Dillon Michael Webster, 23, for possession of a syringe or needle, a Level 6 felony; and resisting law enforcement, a Class A misdemeanor. Bond $1,000 cash. Also being held on a hold warrant for another county. No bond.

April 1, 2021

Mark Anthony Marksberry, 56, on a bench warrant for Jefferson County. Bond $100 cash only.

April 2, 2021

Steven Dwayne Morrison, 38, for possession of a syringe, battery bodily waste-felony and resisting law enforcement, all Level 6 felonies; battery bodily injury-misdemeanor and resisting law enforcement, both Class A misdemeanors; and battery misdemeanor, disorderly conduct and public intoxication by alcohol/drugs, both Class B misdemeanors. No bond.

JEFFERSON COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT

CRIMINAL

March 8-26, 2021

Sandra Lynn Romans, pleaded guilty to theft, a Level 6 felony, sentenced to 365 days jail, suspended, placed on supervised probation for 365 days plus fees and court costs. Upon successful completion of probation, defendant may petition court for reduction of judgment as a Class A misdemeanor.

Brenden V. Ferguson, pleaded guilty to operating while intoxicated, a Class A misdemeanor, sentenced to five days jail served. Defendant also pleaded guilty to possession of methamphetamine, a Level 6 felony, sentenced to serve 540 days at Indiana Department of Correction (IDOC), all suspended except for 192 days served, placed on 348 days supervised probation with Jefferson County Community Corrections, plus fees, courts costs in both pleas and cost of countermeasure.

Daniel Brim, pleaded guilty to resisting law enforcement and criminal mischief, both Class A misdemeanors, and possession of methamphetamine, a Level 6 felony, sentenced to 15 days jail served on resisting and five days jail served on criminal mischief plus fees and court costs, and sentenced to 540 days at IDOC for possession of methamphetamine, all suspended but 192 days jail served with 348 days supervised probation with Jefferson County Community Corrections plus fees and court costs.

Mary J. Brindley, pleaded guilty to disorderly conduct, a Class B misdemeanor, sentenced to 180 days jail, all suspended except for three days. Placed on 174 days non-reporting probation plus fees and court costs.

Marvin Brooks pleaded guilty to domestic battery and possession of methamphetamine, both Level 6 felonies, and resisting law enforcement, a Class A misdemeanor, sentenced to 730 days on the felonies and 360 days jail on the misdemeanor, all concurrent, with 312 days served. Placed on 106 days probation with Jefferson County Community Corrections plus fees and court costs.

Clinton N. Linville, pleaded guilty to possession of methamphetamine, a Level 6 felony with judgment of conviction as a Class A misdemeanor, sentenced to 365 days jail, all suspended except for three days served, placed on supervised probation for 357 days plus fees and court costs.

Cheryle Peelman, pleaded guilty to false informing, a Class B misdemeanor, sentenced to zero days jail, ordered to pay fees and court costs.

Bradley K. Bosse, pleaded guilty to possession of marijuana, a Class B misdemeanor, sentenced to time served in jail plus fees and court costs.

Christian Horton, pleaded guilty to possession of methamphetamine, a Level 6 felony, under a plea agreement as a lesser included offense, ordered to serve 910 days at IDOC, all suspended except 192 days served, placed on 562 days supervised probation with Jefferson County Community Corrections, plus fees and court costs.

Tyler Wayne Wentworth, pleaded guilty to theft, a Level 6 felony with judgment of conviction as a Class A misdemeanor, sentenced to time served plus fees and court costs.

Jill Combs, pleaded guilty to battery, a Class B misdemeanor, sentenced to three actual days jail served plus fees and court costs.

Traci Lytle, pleaded guilty to contributing to the delinquency of a minor, a Level 6 felony, under a plea agreement as a lesser Class A misdemeanor offense, sentenced to 365 days jail, all suspended except for one day served, placed on 363 days supervised probation with Jefferson County Community Corrections, plus fees and court costs.

Tracey Lynn Romans, pleaded guilty to possession of marijuana, a Class B misdemeanor, sentenced to time served, plus fees and court costs.

Lindsey Hedden, pleaded guilty to theft, a Class A misdemeanor, sentenced to two days served plus fees and court costs.

Sean Voris, pleaded guilty to disorderly conduct, a Class A misdemeanor, sentenced to 30 days jail, all suspended, placed on 180 days supervised probation plus fees and court costs.

Roger Dale Sizemore, pleaded guilty to theft, a Class A misdemeanor, sentenced to zero days jail plus fees and court costs.

Melissa Mahatha, pleaded guilty to conversion, a Class A misdemeanor, dismissed, sentenced to zero days jail plus fees and court costs.

Michael Paul Haney, pleaded guilty to public intoxication, a Class B misdemeanor, sentenced to one day jail served, plus fees and court costs.

Larry D. Boyd, pleaded guilty to intimidation, a Level 5 felony with judgment of conviction as a Class A misdemeanor, sentenced to 365 days jail, all suspended except for three days served, placed on 359 days supervised probation with Jefferson County Community Corrections, plus fees and court costs and a separate order on firearms.

Johnathan Curtis Hooker, pleaded guilty to theft, a Level 6 felony with judgment of conviction as a Class A misdemeanor, sentenced to one day jail served, plus fees and court costs.

Mathew Lipperd, pleaded guilty to domestic battery, a Class A misdemeanor as a lesser included charge, sentenced to 365 days jail, all suspended except for two days served, placed on supervised probation for 361 days plus fees and court costs.

Jodi Lynn Tipton, pleaded guilty to driving while suspended, a Class A misdemeanor, sentenced to pay $500 fine plus court costs.

Cory Lewis, pleaded guilty to leaving the scene of an accident, a Level 6 felony, sentenced to six months at IDOC, all suspended except for 48 days served, placed on supervised probation for 132 days with driver's license suspended for six months. Also pleaded guilty to intimidation, a Level 6 felony, sentenced to 18 months at IDOC to run consecutive, placed on 180 days probation plus fees, court costs and pay restitution to Joshua Haycox.

Vincent Wiefling, pleaded guilty to theft, a Level 6 felony, and unauthorized entry into a vehicle, a Class B misdemeanor, sentenced to 12 months on the felony concurrent to 180 days on the misdemeanor, all suspended except for 15 days served with balance suspended for 11 months probation with community corrections, plus fees, court costs and restitution to Michael Whaley and Louann Clark. In a separate case Wiefling pleaded guilty to theft, a Level 6 felony, sentenced to 12 months at IDOC, all suspended except for 30 days served, placed on 10 months probation with Jefferson County Community Corrections plus fees, court costs and restitution to Timothy Moore. Wiefling also pleaded guilty to criminal trespass, a Class A misdemeanor, sentenced to 50 days jail, time served, plus fees and court costs. Court also issued a judgment of conviction on a plea for auto theft, a Level 6 felony; resisting law enforcement and operating while intoxicated, both Class A misdemeanors; and failure to stop after an accident, a Class B misdemeanor, sentenced to 901 days at IDOC on the felony concurrent to 465 days each on the Class A misdemeanors and concurrent to 90 days on the Class B misdemeanor, all executed except for 180 days served, plus fees, court costs and $380.80 restitution to Indiana State Police with driver's license suspended retroactive.

Andrew Curtis Duke, pleaded guilty to possession of marijuana, a Class B misdemeanor, sentenced to one day in jail, served, plus fees and court costs with all other charges dismissed.

Aaron Lee Stewart, pleaded guilty to possession of marijuana, a Class A misdemeanor, as a lesser included offense, sentenced to two days jail, served, plus fees and court costs.

Joseph Nchia, pleaded guilty to operating while intoxicated, a Class C misdemeanor, sentenced to 60 days jail, all suspended except for two days served, placed on supervised probation for 176 days, plus fees and court costs and countermeasure fee, with driver's license returned and all other charges dismissed.

Jonathan Herndon, pleaded guilty to invasion of privacy, a Class A misdemeanor; domestic battery, a Level 6 felony; and escape, a Level 6 felony, sentenced to 180 days jail on invasion of privacy, fully executed with credit for 24 days served and 545 days at IDOC on battery, fully executed, time served; and 545 days jail on escape, all suspended, with release date of May 23, 2021. Placed on 545 days supervised probation with Jefferson County Community Corrections, plus fees and court costs.

Angela Huff, pleaded guilty to possession of a syringe, a Level 6 felony, and battery resulting in bodily injury, a Class A misdemeanor, sentenced to 363 days on the felony consecutive to 120 days on the misdemeanor, fully executed, time served, plus fees and court costs.

Timothy Vaile, pleaded guilty to operating while intoxicated, a Class A misdemeanor, sentenced to 60 days jail, all suspended except for one day served, placed on supervised probation for 365 days with no license suspension, plus fees, court costs and countermeasure fee.

Trentin Robert Edwards, pleaded guilty to possession of methamphetamine, a Level 6 felony, ordered to serve 545 days at IDOC, all suspended except for one day served, placed on supervised probation with Jefferson County Community Corrections for 543 days plus fees and court costs.

David Allen Spry, pleaded guilty to operating while intoxicated, a Class A misdemeanor, sentenced to 365 days jail, all suspended except for 94 days served, placed on supervised probation for 177 days, plus fees, court costs and $431.35 restitution to the Indiana Department of Transportation.

Jennifer L. Fox, pleaded guilty to possession of methamphetamine, a Level 6 felony, sentenced to 268 jail, time served, consecutive to sentence of two years jail, all suspended, on a separate guilty plea for possession of methamphetamine, a Level 6 felony, placed on supervised probation for two years, plus fees and court costs.

Kathleen Warren, pleaded guilty to possession of a syringe, a Level 6 felony, sentenced to 540 days at IDOC, all suspended and consecutive to revocation of misdemeanor charge, placed on 540 days supervised probation at Jefferson County Community Corrections, plus fees and court costs.

Deandre Chris Daniels, pleaded guilty to invasion of privacy, a Level 6 felony with judgment of conviction as a Class A misdemeanor, sentenced to 360 days jail, all suspended except for 46 days served, placed on supervised probation for 268 days plus fees and court costs.

James Bare, pleaded guilty to possession of a syringe, a Level 6 felony, sentenced to 180 days at IDOC, fully executed with credit for 70 days served leaving 20 more days to serve with good time, plus fees and court costs.

Gregory A. Easterly, pleaded guilty to theft, a Class A misdemeanor, sentenced to five days jail, served, plus fees and court costs.

Isaac McCager Gates, pleaded guilty to possession of methamphetamine, a Level 6 felony, sentenced to 910 days at IDOC or county jail with 79 days suspended, placed on 752 days supervised probation with Jefferson County Community Corrections plus fees and court costs.

Matthew Disch, pleaded guilty to domestic battery, a Class A misdemeanor, and possession of paraphernalia, a Class C misdemeanor, sentenced to 365 days jail on battery consecutive to 50 days on possession, all suspended except for two days served, placed on 541 days probation plus fees and court costs with firearms seized as evidence and held until further notice.

Paul Dale Warren, pleaded guilty to failure to register as a sex offender, a Level 6 felony, sentenced to 900 days at IDOC, all suspended with revocation of probation, placed on 900 days supervised probation with Jefferson County Community Corrections with first 16 months on home detention followed by 14 months on supervised probation, plus fees and court costs.

Austin Matthew Jones, pleaded guilty to residential entry, a Level 6 felony, sentenced to 365 days at IDOC, all suspended except for one day served, placed on 363 days supervised probation with Jefferson County Community Corrections plus fees and court costs. Upon successful completion of probation, defendant may petition court for reduction of judgment as a Class A misdemeanor.

Douglas Brown II, pleaded guilty to identity deception, a Level 6 felony with judgment of conviction as Class A misdemeanor, sentenced to serve 354 days jail, all suspended except for one day served, placed on 363 days supervised probation with Jefferson County Community Corrections, plus fees, court costs and restitution in an amount to be determined to Mercedes and Norman Brown.

Isaac Gates, pleaded guilty to possession of methamphetamine, a Level 6 felony, sentenced to 180 days (90 actual) at IDOC, fully executed, time served, plus fees and court costs.

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How to Get Rid of "Zozobra" by Putting Your Financial House in Order

Layin' It on the Line

There is some good news, though. You can make several adjustments to pull yourself out of this disorienting state and regain control of your life. You can do some things if you want to move forward with your life in a more positive and meaningful way.

Stay informed, but don't overconsume media.

1. While it's essential to stay on top of current events, you also don't want to tap into negative currents that modern media generates. Seek out authentic, reliable sources of verifiable information. Be especially wary of financial media, which tends to be full of sensationalism and fear-inducing predictions. You should limit your exposure to both digital and television media.

2. **Partner with a trustworthy team of financial experts.** Your financial planning team can have a huge impact when it comes to alleviating anxiety. Choose a team of professionals who are committed to putting your needs ahead of their own and who can devise plans oriented around your values, goals, and risk tolerance. Be sure that your team includes people who can help you grow and protect your wealth at every stage of your life.

3. **Monitor, evaluate, and balance your portfolio regularly.** Again, seek the counsel of your financial team. They can help you ensure your portfolio is correctly aligned with your current situation and balanced to meet future expectations. For example, most people over 65 probably should not have much, if any, of their savings exposed to market risk. Also, a high proportion of retirees are paying more in tax than is necessary. Talk to your financial advisory team about repositioning assets and finding overlooked tax savings.

4. Save as much money as possible. Keep a financial diary detailing your spending. Locate areas where you may be overpaying for necessities or purchasing items you don't want or need. Look for discount programs you may qualify for, such as lowered utility rates for seniors and low-income persons. Use the money you save to fund life insurance, annuities, or medical and emergency funds. Seeing your savings grow has a profoundly positive effect on your mental well-being.

5. **Improve your financial literacy.** The pandemic means you may have more time on your hands. Fill that time by reading personal finance books, articles, blogs, and digital magazines. Listen to podcasts that provide actionable strategies for coping with the economic downturn, planning for retirement, or asset protection and estate planning.

Above all, realize that feeling anxiety and stress about money is perfectly normal during chaotic times.

The key to overcoming Zozobra is to pursue your goal of creating a better financial future, regardless of what goes on around you.

Now is the ideal time to regain your feeling of being in control of your financial destiny by becoming more aware, active, and forward-thinking. Building a team of trusted, like-minded financial professionals will help you come out on the other side of the chaos well-adjusted, positive, and prosperous.

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OBITUARIES

Nancy McDonald

Nancy Margaret Davis McDonald, PhD, 79, of Simpsonville, South Carolina and formerly of Madison, Indiana, died Tuesday, March 30, 2021, at the McCall Hospice House in Simpsonville, South Carolina.

She was born Feb. 1, 1942, in Hattiesburg, Mississippi, to Harold Louis "Beano" and Emma Margaret Claflin Davis. She was raised in Madison in the Catholic faith and was a member of Prince of Peace Church and a 1960 graduate of Shawe Memorial High School. She was a 1969 graduate of Western Kentucky University with a bachelor of arts in English and she received her Masters Degree in 1970. She attended Vanderbilt University to work on her doctorate and completed her PhD at Florida Atlantic University in 2013. She married Aaron McDonald in Bowling Green, Kentucky, on June 10, 1972, and they had a daughter. She began a 38-year career teaching English at the University of Cincinnati and Owensboro Community College, then taught English and Astronomy at Western Kentucky University and later for 22 years at Palm Beach State College where she was Professor of English and Honor's Liaison. She co-owned and co-operated with her husband McDonald Engineering Corp. in Palm Beach Gardens, Florida, for 20 years. She had a passion for astronomy, writing, piano, needlework and was an avid reader. She held memberships in Phi Kappa Phi, Mensa, Sigma Tau Delta English Honors Fraternity and the National Collegiate Honors Council. She never lost her love for her hometown, Madison, and enjoyed writing a column in The Madison Courier for several years. She was a founding member of St Ignatius Loyola Cathedral Parish. She loved her German Shepherd dogs, studying genealogy and collecting rocks and fought a gallant battle with Multiple Sclerosis. She enjoyed living in Florida but had most recently moved to be near her daughter in South Carolina.

Survivors include her husband of nearly 49 years; her daughter, Victoria Claflin McDonald Cottle of Greenville, South Carolina; a granddaughter, Katherine Taylor McDonald Cottle Alexander; and two great grandchildren and several cousins and other family members.

She was preceded in death by her parents and her sister, Mary Anne Davis "Bird" Potter, in 2007.

Mass will be celebrated at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, April 7, at the Prince of Peace Catholic Church in downtown Madison. Interment will follow in the Springdale Cemetery in downtown Madison. Visitation is 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday and 9:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. Wednesday at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre in Madison. The Rosary will be prayed at 6 p.m. on Tuesday at the funeral home.

Memorial contributions may be made to Prince of Peace Catholic Church in Madison, the Guatemalan Maya Center in Lake Worth, Florida and/or the McCall Hospice House in Simpsonville. Cards are available at the funeral home. Online condolences, www.morgan-nay.com.

Gary Bonner

Gary Ray Bonner, 79, of Beach Island, South Carolina, and formerly of Jefferson County, Indiana, died Friday, March 19, 2021, at his home.

He was born on April 3, 1941, in Vanceburg, Kentucky, to Elmer and Effie McCleese Bonner. He was raised by his grandmother, Amanda Flanders, in Vanceburg and graduated school there. He attended Berea College in Kentucky and was inducted into the US Air Force serving during the Vietnam Era. He resided 11 years in Brooksburg, Indiana, and worked for Dow Corning in Carrollton, Kentucky. He had resided in South Carolina the past 20 years and was retired from Unimin Corporation, a global mining company. He loved his many dogs.

Survivors include his daughter, Elizabeth Anne Bonner Gullion of Madison, Indiana; his step great grandchild, Dakota Morrison; his brother, Denny Bonner of Lexington, Kentucky; and several nieces and other relatives.

He was preceded in death by his parents and his grandmother who raised him; his former wife and mother of his daughter, Margaret Miles Bonner, on Dec. 28, 2016; and a brother, James Bonner.

Cremation was chosen and the family will hold their own service in his memory.

Memorial contributions may be made to a charity of the donor's choice. Cards are available at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Madison and Hanover. Online condolences, www.morgan-nay.com.

Mark Field

Mark Allen Field, 71, of Madison, Indiana, died Wednesday, March 31, 2021, at Hosparus Inpatient Unit in Louisville.

He was born Jan. 20, 1950, in Haubstadt, Indiana, to Gene and Dorothy Greubel Field. He was a retired Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetists at Community Hospital in Anderson, Indiana, and a former member of Indiana Army National Guard. He married Judy Romage Field on Nov. 24, 1994.

Survivors include his wife of 26 years; two daughters, Jessica Crowhorn of Salem, Indiana, and Allison Field, of Evansville, Indiana; a brother, Jack Field of Haubstadt, Indiana; and a sister, Marcia Scott-Giesige of Defiance, Ohio.

He was preceded in death by his parents; a brother, Charlie Field; and a sister, Sue Schmitt.

Funeral services will be at 1 p.m. on Tuesday, April 6, at the Weathers Funeral Home in Salem with burial to follow in Crown Hill Cemetery there. Visitation is 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. Monday and from 9 a.m. until time of services Tuesday at the funeral home. Online condolences, www.weathersfuneralhome.com.

Blocking of Indiana cigarette tax hike frustrates advocates

BY TOM DAVIES
ASSOCIATED PRESS

INDIANAPOLIS — Supporters of boosting Indiana's cigarette tax expressed frustration Friday with a decision by state Senate Republicans to drop any increase from their state budget proposal being released next week.

The removal of the 50 cents-per-pack increase that was included in the House budget bill is the latest rejection of a cigarette tax hike by Republicans who dominate the Senate. For several years, they have blocked any increase of the current 99.5 cents-per-pack rate that was last raised in 2007.

A coalition of health and business groups has pushed for a $2-per-pack increase, calling it a needed step toward driving down Indiana's 21.1% smoking rate for adults, which was the fourth highest in the country for 2018, according to the federal Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

Let Us Take A Moment To Remember

Mr. Mark Allen Field

1950 - 2021

Mr. Mark Allen Field, age 71, of Madison, passed away Wednesday, March 31 at Hosparus Inpatient Unit in Louisville.

Mr. Field was born January 20, 1950 in Haubstadt, Indiana the son of Gene and Dorothy Greubel Field. He was a retired CRNA at Community Hospital in Anderson, Indiana. He was a former member of Army National Guard.

Mark is survived by his wife: Judy Romage Field. They were married November 24, 1994. He is also survived by two daughters: Jessica Crowhorn (Jason) of Salem and Allison Field of Evansville, a brother: Jack Field (Sara) of Haubstadt, Indiana, and a sister: Marcia Scott-Giesige of Defiance, Ohio. He was preceded in death by a brother: Charlie Field, a sister: Sue Schmitt, and his parents.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday at 1 pm at Weathers Funeral Home with Father Santhosh Yohannan officiating. Burial will follow in Crown Hill Cemetery. Visitation will be Monday from 4-8 pm and Tuesday from 9 am-time of service at the funeral home.

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Let Us Pause To Honor The Memory Of

Mrs. Barbara Ann Banks Johnson

Mrs. Barbara Ann Banks Johnson, age 87, of Hanover, Indiana entered this life on July 8, 1933 in Chicago, Illinois. She was the loving daughter of the late Harry and Ann Helen Bill Banks. She graduated from high school in Washington in 1951. She was united in marriage to Paul Sven Kenneth Johnson on April 6, 1952 in Oakland Hills, California. This happy union of nearly 69 years was blessed with five sons, Paul, Jr., Jeff, Steve, Mike, and Tom and three daughters, Debbie, Betsy and Suzanne. She lived in Chicago for twenty-two years and then they moved their family around the country to Florida, Nebraska, Nevada, and Iowa before moving to Hanover, Indiana. She worked as a secretarial staff support person for many years at various places. some of those included, City of Lathrop in California as a management analyst, Sears and Roebuck, and Moly Corp a mining company in rare earth in Las Vegas. Barbara loved furthering her education, those included Community College, Drake University and Des Moines Community College. Her favorite place she worked was Highland Memory Gardens in Des Moines, Iowa working along her husband in preneed sales. The couple spent over 30 years in the cemetery industry. She was a member of Cornerstone Baptist Church in Hanover where her son Mike is the pastor. She enjoyed writing, reading, her computer, but most of all her dedication to family was the most precious and love for her Lord and Savior. Barbara passed to her eternal life on Tuesday, March 30, 2021, at the King's Daughters' Hospital in Madison, Indiana with her loving family at her side.

A LOVING FAMILY

Barbara will be missed by her loving husband of nearly 69 years of Hanover, Indiana; her loving sons, Paul Johnson, Jr. and his wife Angela of Fullerton, California, Jeff Johnson and his wife, Julie of Castle Rock, Colorado, Steve Johnson and his wife, Amy of Ottawa, Illinois, Pastor Mike Johnson and his wife, Melissa of Hanover, Indiana, Tom Johnson and his wife, Sherri of Castle Rock, Colorado; her loving daughters, Debbie Dow and her husband Mason of Hanover, Indiana, Betsy Johnson of Harper, Kansas, Suzanne Johnson of Huntington Beach, California; her grandchildren, Melanie, Jerome, Gabi, Glenn, Michelle, Kristy, Carissa (Josh), Michael, Kelly, Michael, Marilyn, Allen, Amanda, Zachary, Cole, and Dylan; her great grandchildren, Aryana, Gabriel, Akaylah, Echo, Sason, Maybree, and Ryder; her brother, Harry David Banks and his wife Arlene of Salem, Oregon; several nieces, nephews and other relatives. She was preceded in death by her father, Harry Banks, her mother, Ann Helen Bill Banks, and her grandchildren, Kyle and Jill.

CELEBRATION OF LIFE CEREMONY

Barbara's life will be celebrated on Thursday, April 1, 2021, at 6:00 p.m., by her son, Pastor Mike Johnson at the Cornerstone Baptist Church, 221 Kuntz Road in Hanover, Indiana. Sunset interment will follow at the Hanover Cemetery in Hanover, Indiana.

VISITATION

Friends may visit Thursday from 4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. at the Cornerstone Baptist Church, 221 Kuntz Road in Hanover, Indiana.

MEMORIAL EXPRESSIONS

Memorial contributions may be made to the Cornerstone Baptist Church. Cards are available at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Hanover and Madison or at the church. Online condolences, remembrances and memorials can be left at, www.morgan-nay.com

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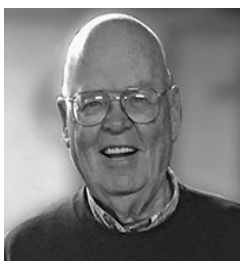
Mr. Arthur Goss Clark



Mr. Arthur Goss Clark, age 81, of Madison, Indiana, entered this life on April 4, 1939 in Hanover, Indiana. He was the loving son of the late Rupert and Ruth Mackway Clark. He was raised in Jefferson County and attended Hanover High School and Madison High School. He was inducted into the United States Air Force on October 1, 1957 in Madison, Indiana. He entered active duty on December 3, 1957 in Indianapolis and rose to the rate of Airman Second Class serving in the 6961st Communication Squadron. He was honorably discharged on December 1, 1961 at Kelly Air Force Base in Texas receiving the Good Conduct Medal. On Valentines Day in 1960 Arthur married Brenda V. Sullivan at the North Madison Christian Church. This happy union of nearly fifty two years was blessed with a daughter, Kimberly and sons, Steve, Kevin and Jeffory. He was a retired supervisor of the Indiana Kentucky Electric Corporation. He worked at Camp Livingston in Switzerland County while his late wife, Brenda, served as caretaker for eleven years. He was a devoted dad, loving grandpa and enjoyed socializing with his friends. He was a member of the Major Samuel Woodfill Post No. 9 of the American Legion and the Madison VFW Post No. 1969. Arthur loved to share his wisdom, sarcasm and was a great card player. Arthur had suffered a stroke and had been lovingly cared for until his death by his family. Arthur died on Tuesday, March 30, 2021, at 6:25 p.m. at the Jewel Place in Madison, Indiana.

A LOVING FAMILY

Arthur will be missed by his loving sons, Steve Clark and his wife, Paula of Madison, Indiana, Kevin Clark of Hanover, Indiana, Jeffory Clark and his wife, Cathy of Madison, Indiana; his loving daughter, Kimberly Holman and her husband, David of Madison, Indiana; his grandchildren, Derick, Andrew, Matthew, Danielle, Kirsten, Ariel, Kayla, Adam, Bryce, Devin, Austin, Shalee and Cody; his great grandchildren: Makenna, Kamilla, Iris and Camden; his sister, Dorothy Clark Zumhingst of Seymour, Indiana; his brothers: Alfred and his wife, Kay of Ohio, Raymond and his wife, Nancy of Florida and Richard and his wife, Donna of Paoli, Indiana; his life-long friends: Karen and Paul Reed, Ron and Lucy Anderson, and Janice Bennett. Arthur was preceded in death by his father, Rupert Peter Clark, his mother, Ruth Mackway Clark, his wife of nearly 52 years, Brenda V. Sullivan Clark, died January 28, 2013, and his grandchildren, Erik Clark and Cadence Danae.

FUNERAL CEREMONY

Funeral services will be conducted Friday, April 2, 2021, at 1:00 p.m., by Pastor Mike Barnes at the Indiana Veterans Memorial Cemetery Chapel, 1415 North Gate Road in Madison, Indiana. Interment will follow in the Indiana Veterans Memorial Cemetery,1415 North Gate Road in Madison, Indiana.

VISITATION

Friends may visit Friday from 12:00 Noon until the time of service at the Indiana Veterans Memorial Cemetery Chapel, 1415 North Gate Road in Madison, Indiana.

MILITARY HONORS

A final salute and military honors will be provided by the Major Samuel Woodfill Post No. 9 of the American Legion at the Indiana Veterans Memorial Cemetery Chapel.

MEMORIAL EXPRESSIONS

Memorial contributions may be made to the Brenda Clark Memorial at Camp Livingston Scholarship Fund. Cards are available at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Madison and Hanover or at the chapel. Online condolences, remembrances, and memorials can be left at www.morgan-nay.com

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Nancy Margaret Davis McDonald, PhD

Nancy Margaret Davis McDonald, PhD, age 79, of Simpsonville, South Carolina entered this life on February 1, 1942 in Hattiesburg, Mississippi. She was the loving daughter of Harold Louis "Beano" and Emma Margaret Claflin Davis. She was raised in Madison and was a 1960 graduate of Shawe Memorial High School. She was raised in the Catholic faith and member of the Prince of Peace Church in Madison. Nancy was a 1969 graduate of Western Kentucky University with her bachelor of arts in English and received her Masters Degree in 1970. Nancy then attended Vanderbilt University to work on her doctorate and completed her PhD at Florida Atlantic University in 2013. On June 10, 1972 Nancy was united in marriage to Aaron McDonald in Bowling Green, Kentucky. This happy union of nearly 49 years was blessed with a daughter, Victoria Claflin McDonald. Nancy began her 38-year career teaching English at the University of Cincinnati and Owensboro Community College. She then taught English and Astronomy at Western Kentucky University and then for 22 years at Palm Beach State College and was a Professor of English and Honor's Liaison. She had co-owned and co-operated with her husband McDonald Engineering Corp. in Palm Beach Gardens for 20 years. Dr. McDonald had a passion for Astronomy, writing, piano, needlework and was an avid reader. She held memberships in Phi Kappa Phi, Mensa, Sigma Tau Delta English Honors Fraternity, and the National Collegiate Honors Council. Nancy never lost her love for her beloved hometown Madison and enjoyed writing a column in The Madison Courier for several years. She was a founding member of St Ignatius Loyola Cathedral Parish. She loved her German Shepherd dogs, studying genealogy, and collecting rocks. She fought a gallant fight with Multiple Sclerosis. Nancy always blessed others with her intelligence and warm smile. She loved teaching and enjoyed her time in Florida and had most recently moved to be near her daughter. Nancy died on Tuesday, March 30, 2021, at 6:40 p.m. at the McCall Hospice House in Simpsonville, South Carolina with her loving family at her side.

A LOVING FAMILY

Nancy will be missed by her loving and devoted husband of nearly 49 Years, Aaron McDonald of Simpsonville, South Carolina; her beloved daughter, Victoria Claflin McDonald Cottle and her husband, Joseph Edward Cottle, Jr. of Greenville, South Carolina; her loving granddaughter, Katherine Taylor McDonald Cottle Alexander and her husband, Jeffrey Alexander; her adoring great grandchildren, Oliver Aaron Alexander and Lorelei Hazel Alexander; her cousins, Linda Claflin Sage and her husband Bill of Madison, Indiana, Emma Deveary of Madison, Indiana, Charles Ricketts and his wife Mary Pat of Madison, Indiana and Jan Russell of Madison, Indiana; her brothers-in-law, David McDonald and his wife, Linda of Mt. Washington, Kentucky, James Robert McDonald of Bowling Green, Kentucky, Jonathan G. McDonald and his wife, Lori of Henderson, Kentucky; and other family members. She was preceded in death by her father, Harold Louis "Beano" Davis, died October 21, 1992, her mother, Emma Margaret Claflin Davis, died December 17, 2005, and her sister, Mary Anne Davis "Bird" Potter, died July 11, 2007.

THE MASS OF CHRISTIAN BURIAL

Mass will be celebrated by Father Christopher Craig on Wednesday, April 7, 2021, at 11:00 a.m., at the Prince of Peace Catholic Church, 413 East Second Street in downtown Madison, Indiana. Interment will follow in the Springdale Cemetery, 600 West Fifth Street in downtown Madison, Indiana.

VISITATION

Friends may visit Tuesday from 4:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m. and Wednesday from 9:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive in Madison, Indiana.

THE ROSARY

The Rosary will be prayed on Tuesday at 6:00 p.m. at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive in Madison, Indiana.

MEMORIAL EXPRESSIONS

Memorial contributions in lieu of flowers my mom's wishes were that donations be made to any of the following in her memory. The Prince of Peace Catholic Church Madison In., Guatemalan Maya Center, Lake Worth, Fl. and/or McCall Hospice House Simpsonville, SC. Cards are available at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Madison and Hanover or at the church. Online condolences, remembrances and memorials can be left at www.morgan-nay.com

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Shawe Briefs

From staff reports

Submitted

The Shawe and Pope John Cafeteria Team (from left): Edie Deffenbaugh, Suzi Ashbury, manager Brenda Lauderbaugh, Inez Shouse, Julie Vaughn.

Shawe, Pope John cafeteria wins Golden Apple

The Shawe Memorial High School and Pope John Elementary cafeteria staff recently received the Golden Apple Award from the state of Indiana for their excellent work feeding the schools' children.

The cafeteria staff, headed by Brenda Lauderbaugh, received the awards for self-evaluations of current menus reflecting a wide variety of colorful menu choices, including fresh fruits and vegetables, a mix of hot and cold entrees, as well as other healthy menu planning techniques. Menus and evaluations were reviewed by the IDOE School and Summer Field Specialists and winners were then announced.

"We are very proud of the ladies in the cafeteria and they never get enough recognition," said Prince of Peace School President Phil Kahn. "We love receiving the academic awards from the state, but this is a great way to recognize another group in our school that works hard everyday for our students"

The award was presented to the staff Wednesday in front of the Shawe students during lunch time.

Lee named to Hoosier Girls State

Shawe Memorial High School junior, Jaylin Lee has been selected as a delegate to Hoosier Girls State sponsored by the American Legion Auxiliary.

Jaylin Lee

Criteria includes leadership, honesty, good character, showing proper respect to the U.S. Flag, and having love for God and Country. The Shawe faculty nominates a delegate for the program designed to educate students in Indiana on the duties, privileges, and responsibilities of citizenship. Hoosier Girls State usually involves a week of living and learning the political system of Indiana through a mythical city, county, and state held at Trine University; however, this summer the event will be staged virtually. The American Legion Auxiliary sponsors the female delegate. Unfortunately, Hoosier Boys State was canceled this year due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Holcomb holding to decision ending mask mandate

Decision runs contrary to health experts, Biden

BY TOM DAVIES
ASSOCIATED PRESS

INDIANAPOLIS — Indiana Gov. Eric Holcomb is sticking by his decision to lift the statewide mask mandate next week amid concerns from health experts about more contagious coronavirus variants and a request from President Joe Biden for states to keep such rules in place.

Indiana also opened up COVID-19 vaccinations Wednesday to all residents age 16 and older in the latest expansion of the state's vaccination efforts.

MANDATE ACTION

Holcomb, a Republican, said Wednesday that he also had not heard from Kentucky Gov. Andy Beshear, a Democrat, since his comments Monday hoping that Holcomb would reconsider the dropping of Indiana's mandate effective April 6.

Holcomb said Beshear had his cellphone number and was welcome to call.

"I'm not looking to change my mind, but I'm happy to hear his reasoning behind his statement that he made," Holcomb said. "My style has been to respect all other governors and the decisions that they have to make, according to the numbers and what's happening on the ground in their states."

Holcomb said about 18,000 Kentucky residents have received COVID-19 vaccination shots in Indiana and he understands that many people cross between the two states every day for work.

"I completely respect that, but I'm paying attention to the numbers in Indiana and what's in the best interest for Hoosiers," Holcomb said.

Beshear's office didn't have any immediate comment Wednesday.

Holcomb signed executive orders Wednesday that also end the statewide crowd size and other business restrictions meant to stem the coronavirus spread as of April 6 — the day after the NCAA men's basketball tournament now being held in Indianapolis ends. He announced those changes last week.

Holcomb said he was confident that Indiana's health care system had the capacity to care for COVID-19 patients and that the state could react effectively to new spread of the coronavirus.

CONCERNS REMAIN

State Health Commissioner Dr. Kristina Box said she had concerns about coronavirus variants that are being blamed for growing infections in Michigan and elsewhere. Box said she was also worried by slight increases in new cases and hospitalizations across Indiana.

The Indiana State Department of Health's COVID-19 tracking listed a seven-day average of 938 new infections as of Tuesday, up from an average of about 750 two weeks ago. Hospitalizations were 657, while those were below 600 for several days in mid-March.

Both figures, however, are down more than 80% from December peaks. The state's average daily COVID-19 deaths have dropped from more than 100 a day to fewer than 10 a day during that time.

"Cases are increasing in parts of the state, which again serves as a reminder that we cannot throw caution to the wind and behave as the pandemic is over," Box said.

VACCINE AVAILABILITY

Indiana's expansion of vaccine eligibility for youths and people in their 20s makes more than 1.3 million additional people eligible for COVID-19 vaccines. That raises the number of Indiana residents eligible to about 5.4 million, the state health agency said.

Kentucky expands vaccine eligibility

BY COURIER STAFF REPORT

All Kentuckians 16 and older will be eligible to receive a COVID-19 vaccination beginning Monday, Kentucky Gov. Andy Beshear announced this week.

"This news means that we will beat the president's goal by a month to have COVID-19 vaccinations opened up to everyone," Beshear said. "We are seeing in a number of states an increase in cases and hospitalizations, and it's happening among younger people. We want to get ahead of the more aggressive COVID-19 variants and make sure that we fill every available appointment. Make a plan to get your shot of hope."

On Wednesday, Hoosiers ages 16 and older were eligible to sign up for a free COVID-19 vaccine, the Indiana Department of Health announced Wednesday. The expansion more than 1.3 million additional individuals eligible for vaccine.

In Kentucky, 1,407,333 have received at least at their first dose of the COVID-19 vaccine, and 798,150 have been fully vaccinated.

As of Friday, a total of 2,927,796 doses have been administered in Indiana. This includes 1,730,567 first doses and 1,197,229 individuals who are fully vaccinated. The fully vaccinated number represents individuals who have received a second dose of the Pfizer or Moderna vaccines and those who received the single Johnson & Johnson vaccine.

JCBT

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The amount of funding received will impact what the non-profit Madison Regatta Inc. is able to offer this year. A few years ago the group voted to no longer go into debt to stage a race so if less dollars are available, there will have to be cuts made in the race program.

Thorpe said that could be a "cut down on the racing, on how many boats we have, cut down on the music, and how the big the bands we have are." But if they can generate the funds "we'll be able to have more of a traditional and normal Regatta."

Thorpe said partnerships with local businesses and entities are important to the Regatta and the tourism industry and local business. The bigger and better the Regatta is the more tourists it is likely to draw and the more money will be spent at local businesses and hopefully remain local.

"Because of COVID our sponsorship dollars are down but I think we need to be working" with local entities, he said. He said the marketing arrangement in which VMI receives $10,000 from JCBT to work with the Regatta on promoting the event "keeps it local."

RECORD

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Brittney Suzzanne Vervaet, pleaded guilty to escape, a Level 6 felony, sentenced to 515 days at IDOC, all suspended, placed on 515 days supervised probation plus fees and court costs with immediate release for immediate transport to Addiction Recovery Center.

Brittany Luckett, pleaded guilty to theft, a Class A misdemeanor, sentenced to four days served plus fees and court costs.

John Curtis Disbro, pleaded guilty to disorderly conduct, a Class B misdemeanor; and theft, a Class a misdemeanor, sentenced to 44 days for disorderly conduct and 50 days for theft, all served, plus fees and court costs.

Jose Florez Alvares, pleaded guilty to operating without a license, a Class C misdemeanor, sentenced to time serves plus fees and court costs.

Bon David Romans, pleaded guilty to criminal trespass, a Class A misdemeanor, sentenced to two days jail, served, plus fees and court costs.

Shaun Sublett, pleaded guilty to battery resulting in serious bodily injury, a Level 5 felony, sentenced to 1,825 days IDOC, all suspended except for 429 days served, placed on supervised probation with Jefferson County Community Corrections for 1,253 days plus fees and court costs.

Johnathan Stakelin, pleaded guilty to operating while intoxicated-habitual traffic violator, a Level 6 felony, and operating while intoxicated, a Class A misdemeanor, sentenced to 545 days on the felony consecutive to 365 days on the misdemeanor with 545 days served with corrections and 355 days on supervised probation. Defendant to serve mandatory 10 days in jail with credit for three days served plus fees and court costs with driver's license suspended for one year.

INFRACTIONS

Levi Pratt, Madison, paid $140 for violation of expired plates.

Stephen Roberts, Indianapolis, paid $140 for violation of speeding.

Williams Kirby, Hanover, paid $140 for violation of expired plates.

Jacob Walls, Whiteland, paid $140 for violation of hunting without a license.

James Leach, Hanover, paid $150 for violation of driving while suspended.

Michael Helton, Madison, paid $140 for violation of speeding.

Mark Leineweber, Madison, paid $150 for violation of speeding.

Corey Copeland, Madison, paid $150 for violation of driving while suspended.

Drake Youngblood, Madison, paid $86.50 for violation of speeding.

Lori Ritchie, Campbellsburg, paid $140 for violation of distracted driving.

Elsbeth Suggett, Madison, paid $140 for violation of speeding.

Henry Daniels, Madison, paid $140 for violation of no seatbelt.

James Leezer, Charlestown, paid $140 for violation of speeding.

Kane Zimpfer, Battle Ground, paid $140 for violation of failure to stop.

Kody Hale, Austin, paid $150 for violation of driving while suspended.

Ashley Wall, Madison, paid $140 for violation of speeding.

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Linda Reynolds to Jesse W. and Amanda B. Bruck, 9576 West 350 South, Madison.

Keith D. Eades and Bonita Mae Abney (attorney fact) to Bonita Mae Abney Trust and Keith D. Eades Irrevocable Trust, 345 Ross Street, Madison.

Ditech Financial LLC, Green Tree Servicing LLC (formerly known), Sheriff of Jefferson County David Thomas and Jefferson County Sheriff David Thomas to Loancare LLC, 13457 West Henry Road, Deputy.

Timothy M. Hollihan to Timothy M. and Sara Elizabeth Hollihan, 6659 North Bacon Ridge Road, Madison.

Melissa Kay Enstrom to Jennifer and Joshua Richard Sebastian, 116 West First Street, Hanover.

Sharon L. Martin and Darrin M. Lynch (attorney fact) to Darrin M. Lynch, 8639 West State Road 256, Lexington.

Donald and Lynette Gross to Donald and Lynette Gross, 131 Fairmount Road, Madison and 131 Fairmount Drive, Madison.

Fugen L. Bath to Vildan Meredith, 724 Saddle Tree Lane, Madison.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING CONCERNING AN ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION OF JEFFERSON COUNTY, INDIANA

The residents and taxpayers of Jefferson County, Indiana (the "County"), are hereby notified that the County Council of the County will hold a public hearing at 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, April 13, 2021, in the Jefferson County Public Safety Center, 620 Green Road Madison, Indiana 47250, on the matter of appropriating the proceeds of the sale of certain real estate to the Jefferson County, Indiana Jail Building Corporation (the "Corporation") in an amount not to exceed $42,000,000, together with any interest earnings thereon, public safety local income tax funds received pursuant to IC 6-3.6 in an amount not to exceed $300,000 (Fund# 1170 - LIT Public Safety - Co Share), and jail local income tax funds received pursuant to IC 6-3.6 in an amount not to exceed $1,700,000 (Fund# 1233 LIT (JAIL) Correctional Rehab). Such additional appropriation shall be for the purpose of the payment of costs of all or a portion of the acquisition, construction, improvement, and/or equipping of all or any portion of a new county jail facility located at 1150 J.A. Berry Lane, Madison, Indiana 47250, and any related improvements, including preliminary expenses and the costs of issuing bonds of the Corporation.
Said appropriation is in addition to any appropriations provided for in the existing budget and tax levy. At said public hearing, all persons shall have the right to appear and be heard on the necessity of said appropriation.
COUNTY COUNCIL
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COUNTY, INDIANA
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PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

On April 20, 2021, the city of Madison will hold a second public hearing for the Indiana Office of Community and Rural Affairs (OCRA) Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) COVID-19 Response Program, Phase 2 in the Council Chambers at the Madison City Hall, located at 101 W. Main Street, Madison, IN 47250, at 5:30 pm. This public hearing will provide interested parties an opportunity to express their views on the federally funded CDBG project. Persons with disabilities or non-English speaking persons who wish to attend the public hearing and need assistance are directed to contact Meghan Bender of SIRPC no later than April 13, 2021. Every effort will be made to make reasonable accommodations for these persons.
This program is funded by Title I of the federal Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended. Per the program guidelines, these funds were to be used for a community development project that included the following activities: grants to small businesses. The total amount of CDBG funds requested was $250,000. The amount of CDBG funds proposed to be used for activities that would benefit low- and moderate-income persons was estimated to be $250,000. The applicant also proposed to expend an estimated $50,000 in non-CDBG funds on the project.

Eligible applicants were required to be a small business of no more than 100 employees, located in Madison, Indiana, and employed at least 51% of low-to-moderate income persons.
Information related to this project will be available for review prior to the public hearing as of March 22, 2021 at the office of the Southeastern Indiana Regional Planning Commission – 405 W US 50; PO 765, Versailles, IN 47042, (812) 689-5505 between the hours of 8:00 am and 5:00 pm. Interested citizens are invited to provide comments regarding these issues either at the public hearing or by prior written statement. Written comments should be submitted to Meghan Bender – 405 W. US 50; PO Box 765, Versailles, IN 47042 no later than April 13, 2021 in order to ensure placement of such comments in the official record of the public hearing proceedings. This project resulted in no displacement of any persons or businesses.
For additional information concerning the proposed project, please contact Meghan Bender – 405 W. US 50; PO Box 765, Versailles, IN 47042, (812) 689-5505.
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9	7	6	1	3	4	5	2	8
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8	7	5	1	6	3	9	4	2
3	9	6	2	4	8	5	1	7
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5	6	7	4	9	2	1	3	8
1	2	3	6	8	5	4	7	9
4	8	9	3	1	7	2	6	5

CELEBRITY CIPHER
by Luis Campos

Celebrity Cipher cryptograms are created from quotations by famous people, past and present. Each letter in the cipher stands for another.

"THJDJ FHCB E FMGP BKXH EPM. ... RH FHCB DJ E IMMA BM IHFKHLH KG, KG KB OH'LH PMB EG EOCDF FMB BM FHESG." — XESLKG PEWH

Previous Solution: "If you would avoid all fools go into a dense forest and there refrain from gazing into still pools." — Austin O'Malley

TODAY'S CLUE: L equals T

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Celebrity Cipher cryptograms are created from quotations by famous people, past and present. Each letter in the cipher stands for another.

"XTSE TEX CDIBCCDNZWKE TCD IMEKEMLKBI. ZAD CDTFFDTCTEND KU ZAD VWOAZ WI ZAD ITLD TI ZAD IBCHWHTV KU ZAD IKBV." — HWNZKC ABOK

Previous Solution: "Jesus left a long time ago. ... He left us a book to believe in, in it we've got an awful lot to learn." — Marvin Gaye

TODAY'S CLUE: U equals F

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SATURDAY EVENING

	Jefferson Switzerland	Trimble/ Carroll	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00
3 WAVE	6	2	News	News	Chefs	Chefs	Law & Order		Law & Order		Sat. Night Live		News
4 WTTV	4		2021 NCAA Tournament				2021 NCAA Basketball Tournament						News
5 WLWT	2		News 5 at 6:00		News	Let's	Law & Order		Law & Order		Sat. Night Live		News
8 WISH	12		News	Fam	Ent. Tonight		Castle CC		Castle CC		News 8 at 10PM		News
9 WCPO	23		News	ABC	★★★ "The Ten Commandments" (1956) Charlton Heston, Yul Brynner. CC								
11 WHAS	11	4	ABC	News	★★★ "The Ten Commandments" (1956) Charlton Heston, Yul Brynner. CC								
15 WKPC	13		Lawrence Welk		Farmer	Red ...	KY Life	K'tucky	★★★ "Eight Men Out" (1988)				Austin
19 WXIX	10		Weather Viral		Wheel	J'pardy!	Masked Singer		Game of Talents		FOX19		I Can
32 WLKY	5	5	2021 NCAA Tournament				2021 NCAA Basketball Tournament						News
34 WBKI	7	7	NCIS (DVS)		Storm of Susp		Weather Viral		Two	Two	Mom	Mom	Broke
41 WDRB	8	9	Ac. Hollywood		Mod	Mod	Masked Singer		Game of Talents		WDRB News		I Can
A&E	28	36	(5:30) "The Day After Tomorrow"				★★ "Red 2" (2013) Bruce Willis. CC					I Sur	I Sur
AMC	29	26	(5:00) ★★★ "Moneyball" (2011)				★★ "Fast & Furious" (2009) Vin Diesel.					"Tokyo Drift"	
COM	45	59	"Bruce"		★★★ "Easy A" (2010)				★★ "We're the Millers" (2013)				
DISC	31	38	Pit Bulls-Parole		Pit Bulls-Parole		Pit Bulls and Parolees CC				Pit Bulls and Parolees		
DISN	25	29	Jessie	Jessie	Lady	Lady	Big City	Big City	Big City	Big City	Big City	Big City	Bunk'd
ESPN	32	44	College Football				College Softball Florida at Georgia.				The	UFC	SportC
FREE	18	40	(5:20) ★★★ "Hercules"				(:25) ★★★ "Zootopia" (2016) CC				(9:55) "The Emoji Movie"		
FX	40	28	"How to Train Your Dragon"				★★ "Peter Rabbit" (2018) CC				★★ "Despicable Me 3"		
HBO	201	17	(5:55) ★★ "Rock of Ages" (2012)				★★★ "Ted" (2012) Mark Wahlberg.				Lady	Q: Into, Storm	
MAX	270	73	(4:55) ★★ "Pearl Harbor" (2001)				"Last Knights" (2015) Clive Owen.				(9:55) ★★ "Shaft" (2019)		
PARMT	35	41	"Grown Ups 2"		★★ "Couples Retreat" (2009) CC				★ "Grown Ups" (2010) CC				
SHOW	221	16	City on a Hill CC		(6:57) "Silver Linings Playbook"				"S...house" (2020)			City on a Hill CC	
TMC	233	74	"Kiss the Girls"		(:15) ★★ "Along Came a Spider"				"Aquaslash" CC		(:15) ★★★ "Green Room"		
TNT	27	43	★ "Fifty Shades Freed"				★★★ "A Star Is Born" (2018) Bradley Cooper.					"Wizard of Oz"	
USA	26	33	"Harry Potter-Azkaban"				(:35) ★★★ "Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire" (2005)						"Fan
WGN-A	20	20	"Hobbit-Battle"		NewsNation		NewsNation		Banfield		NewsNation		NewsN

SUNDAY EVENING

	Jefferson Switzerland	Trimble/ Carroll	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00
3 WAVE	6	2	News	News	Ellen's Game		Ellen's Game		Zoey's-Playlist		Good Girls CC		News
4 WTTV	4		News	News	60 Minutes (N)		The Equalizer		NCIS: LA		NCIS: N.O.		News
5 WLWT	2		News	News	Ellen's Game		Ellen's Game		Zoey's-Playlist		Good Girls CC		News
8 WISH	12		News	Fam	NCIS: N.O.		Animals	Animals	Masters	Masters	News	Sports	News
9 WCPO	23		News	ABC	Funny Videos		American Idol (N) CC				The Rookie (N)		News
11 WHAS	11	4	ABC	News	Funny Videos		American Idol (N) CC				The Rookie (N)		News
15 WKPC	13		Wine	Keep	Shakespeare		My Grandp		Atlantic Cross		World on Fire		Master
19 WXIX	10		Weather Viral		Ice Age	Bless	Malika the Lion Queen (N) CC				FOX19		FOX19
32 WLKY	5	5	News	News	60 Minutes (N)		The Equalizer		NCIS: LA		NCIS: N.O.		News
34 WBKI	7	7	Last	Last	Theory	Theory	Animals	Animals	Masters	Masters	Storm of Susp		Gone
41 WDRB	8	9	Andy Griffith		Ice Age	Bless	Malika the Lion Queen (N) CC				WDRB News		The
A&E	28	36	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage
AMC	29	26	"White House"		Walking Dead		Walking Dead		Walking Dead		(:14) Gangs of London (N)		
COM	45	59	"Easy		★★ "We're the Millers" (2013)				(:10) ★ "Identity Thief" (2013)				"Zom
DISC	31	38	Afraid		Naked, Afraid		Naked and Afraid (N) CC					Afraid	
DISN	25	29	Big City	Big City	Big City	Big City	Big City	Big City	Big City	Big City	Raven	Sydney	Just
ESPN	32	44	NCAA Women's Basketball					MLB Baseball: White Sox at Angels					
FREE	18	40	(:10) ★★★★ "Toy Story 2" (1999)				(:15) ★★★ "Beauty and the Beast" (2017) Emma Watson.						
FX	40	28	★★ "Peter Rabbit" (2018) CC				★★★ "Jumanji: Welcome to the Jungle" CC				"Jumanji"		
HBO	201	17	"Jojo Rabbit"		(:10) ★ "The Watch" (2012) CC				Q: Into, Storm		Q: Into, Storm		Last
MAX	270	73	"Begin	(:33) ★★ "The Campaign"			★★ "Dinner for Schmucks" (2010)				★★ "American Reunion"		
PARMT	35	41	Bar Rescue CC		Bar Rescue CC		★★★★ "Forrest Gump" (1994) Tom Hanks. CC					"For	
SHOW	221	16	Shameless CC		City on a Hill CC		VICE	VICE	Shameless (N)		City on a Hill (N)		City On
TMC	233	74	★★ "Killer Elite" (2011) CC				★★★ "Dark Waters" (2019) CC				(:10) "Official Secrets" CC		
TNT	27	43	★★★ "A Star Is Born" (2018) Bradley Cooper.						Actors Guild		Snowpiercer		Awards
USA	26	33	"Harry Potter and Deathly"				(:10) "Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows: Part 2"						"Harry
WGN-A	20	20	Last	Last	NewsNation		NewsNation		Banfield CC		NewsNation		NewsN

MONDAY EVENING

	Jefferson Switzerland	Trimble/ Carroll	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00
3 WAVE	6	2	News	News	News	News	The Voice "The Battles Part 2" (N)				(:01) Debris (N)		News
4 WTTV	4		News	CBS	Theory	Theory	Neigh	Cham	2021 NCAA Basketball Tournament				
5 WLWT	2		News	News	Holly	Extra	The Voice "The Battles Part 2" (N)				(:01) Debris (N)		News
8 WISH	12		News 8 at 6PM		Inside	ET	Superman & Lois "Pilot"			Super	News 8 at 10PM		News
9 WCPO	23		News	ABC	News	The List	American Idol (N) CC				Good Doctor		News
11 WHAS	11	4	News	ABC	ET	Inside	American Idol (N) CC				Good Doctor		News
15 WKPC	13		Com	News	PBS NewsHour		Hemingway "A Writer (1899-1929)"				Hemingway CC		
19 WXIX	10		FOX19	FOX19	Wheel	J'pardy!	9-1-1 (DVS)		Most Wanted		FOX19		FOX19
32 WLKY	5	5	News	CBS	Wheel	J'pardy!	Neigh	Cham	2021 NCAA Basketball Tournament				
34 WBKI	7	7	Last	Last	Mod	Theory	Superman & Lois "Pilot"			Super	Theory	Creek	Two
41 WDRB	8	9	News	News	Judge	Judge	9-1-1 (DVS)		Most Wanted		WDRB News		News
A&E	28	36	Hoarders		Hoarders		Hoarders "Dolores" (N) CC				(:01) Intervention		Inter.
AMC	29	26	(5:30) ★★ "The Bone Collector"				★★★ "The Green Mile" (1999) Tom Hanks, David Morse.						
COM	45	59	Office	Office	Office	(:45) The Office		Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Daily
DISC	31	38	Street Outlaws:		Street Outlaws		Street Outlaws "The Fastest in the 405" (N) CC						Outlaws
DISN	25	29	Jessie	Jessie	"The Proud Family" CC			Raven	Raven	Big City	Big City	Bunk'd	Bunk'd
ESPN	32	44	MLB Baseball		MLB Baseball Tampa Bay Rays at Boston Red Sox.						MLB Baseball		
FREE	18	40	"Charlie and..."		(6:50) ★★★ "Shrek" (2001) CC				(8:55) ★★★ "Shrek 2" (2004)				700
FX	40	28	"Kingsman-Gold"				★★ "Thor: The Dark World" (2013) CC				Breed	Breed	Breed
HBO	201	17	"Independence Day" CC			Last	★★ "The Book of Eli" (2010) CC				Q: Into, Storm		Q: Into
MAX	270	73	(:10) ★★★ "The Way Back" (2020)				★★ "Hitman" (2007) CC			(:35) "The Transporter"			"Walk
PARMT	35	41	Two	Two	★★★ "The Help" (2011) Viola Davis. Premiere. CC								"Pretty Woman"
SHOW	221	16	(5:30) ★★ "Congo" (1995)			VICE	Shameless CC		City on a Hill CC		★★ "Lawless" (2012) CC		
TMC	233	74	"Twilight Saga: Breaking 2"				★★ "Mamma Mia!" (2008)				★★★ "Strictly Ballroom"		
TNT	27	43	(5:30) ★★ "Ocean's 8" (2018)				★★ "The Heat" (2013) Sandra Bullock.					★★ "Ocean's 8"	
USA	26	33	"Harry Potter and Deathly"				WWE Monday Night RAW (N) CC						Rock
WGN-A	20	20	NewsNation		Donlon Report		NewsNation		NewsNation		Banfield (N)		Donlon

ACROSS

1 Large volume
5 Easily duped
10 End of the Earth
14 Postpone action
15 Sahib's place
16 Between
17 Tingle
18 Loses interest
19 Appoint
20 Express gratitude
22 Negative particle
24 Henri's aits
27 Woeful cry
28 Kitchen utensil
32 Southwestern plant
36 Poultry buy
37 Diving duck
39 Tornado warning
40 Lahore language
42 Hatteras and Fear
44 Pleat
45 Stadium levels
47 Diner's request
49 Wire measure
50 Woolen fabric
51 Worthy
53 French state
56 Consult a book
57 Birthplace of Tinkertoys
61 Retail centers
65 Narrow fissure
66 Prowls
69 Unskilled laborer
70 One of three squares
71 Gold brick
72 Edible root
73 Crooked
74 Mineral analysis
75 Bias

DOWN

1 Pain in the neck
2 Solemn promise
3 Transparent mineral
4 Cultural
5 Pinch
6 Collection of tales
7 Lazy
8 Country estate
9 Art stand
10 Woman's outfit
11 — Khayyam
12 Prom rental, for short
13 Shangri-la
21 "Fish Magic" artist
23 Coral islets
25 Legend
26 Egypt's Anwar —
28 Boards up
29 Hawk's refuge
30 Hypnotized
31 Sherpa's country
33 Particle
34 — B. DeMille
35 Leg part
38 Steel rod
41 Severely
43 Swing around
46 Adjusts a watch
48 Wax-coated cheese
52 Gets accustomed
54 Open-air lobbies
55 Bugs Bunny and Popeye
57 Columnist — Bombeck
58 Regard
59 From a distance
60 Reminds too often
62 Ooze out
63 Anecdotal knowledge
64 White stuff
67 Big extinct bird
68 Shoat's home

PREVIOUS PUZZLE SOLVED

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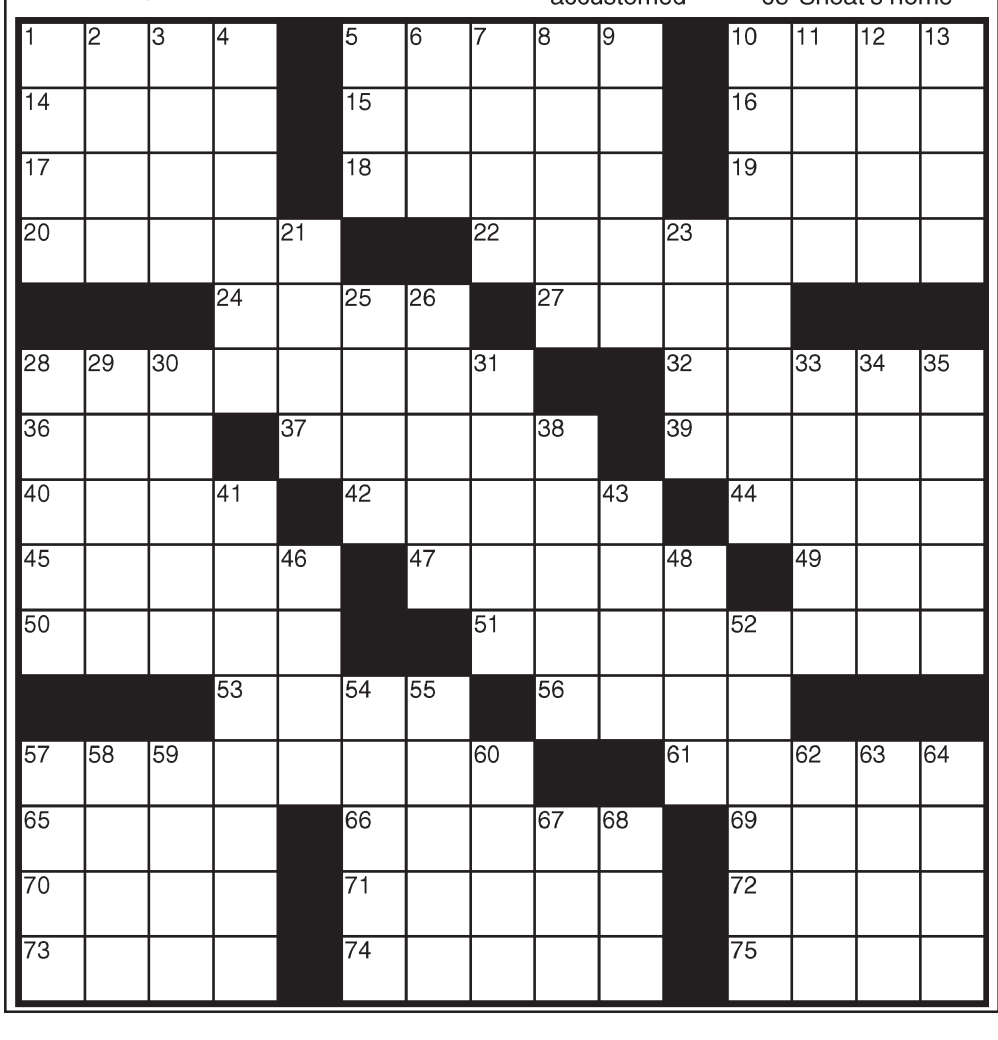

ACROSS

1 Fast transports
5 Where hackles rise
9 Moby Dick foe
13 Lawman Wyatt —
14 Inspecting (var.)
16 Basilica area
17 Constantly
18 Like a neglected garden
19 Norse god of thunder
20 Pine exudations
22 Military rank
24 Damsel
26 Cabinet part
27 Spider site
30 Spanish painter
32 Snub
36 Pub order
37 Taxi tooters
39 Quick raid
40 Clean the deck
42 Prowess
44 Hindu royalty
45 Discussion group
47 Brook
49 Favorite —
50 Computer network
52 Sweater makings
53 Pork source
54 Sincere
56 Feudal estate
58 Goldfish abode
62 Egg yolk
66 — Lawless of "Xena"
67 Soap opera
69 Gael republic
70 Huge amount
71 Mr. Spock's father
72 ISU location
73 Box a bit
74 Himalayan legend
75 Smudge

DOWN

1 Boo and hiss
2 Gutter locale
3 Tijuana trio
4 Bit of holly
5 Journalist's milieu
6 Yes, to Rob Roy
7 Crusty desserts
8 Drew to a close
9 Front
10 Merry sound (hyph.)
11 The Bard's river
12 Emcee — Parks
15 Pita sandwiches
21 Almost, in verse
23 Els' game
25 Melody's words
27 Flying stingers
28 Former Denver QB
29 Burrito morsels
31 Ticked off
33 Latch onto
34 Asian capital
35 Making a bow
38 Bundle of grain
41 Traitor
43 Marinated Japanese dish
46 Sly glance
48 Type of socks
51 Motel staffers
55 Virginia caverns
57 Wingless insects
58 Brenner Pass locale
59 One-liner
60 Pac-12 team
61 Adult female horse
63 Flaccid
64 Hydrox rival
65 Compass reading
68 Bumped into

PREVIOUS PUZZLE SOLVED

T	O	M	E	■	N	A	I	V	E	■	P	O	L	E
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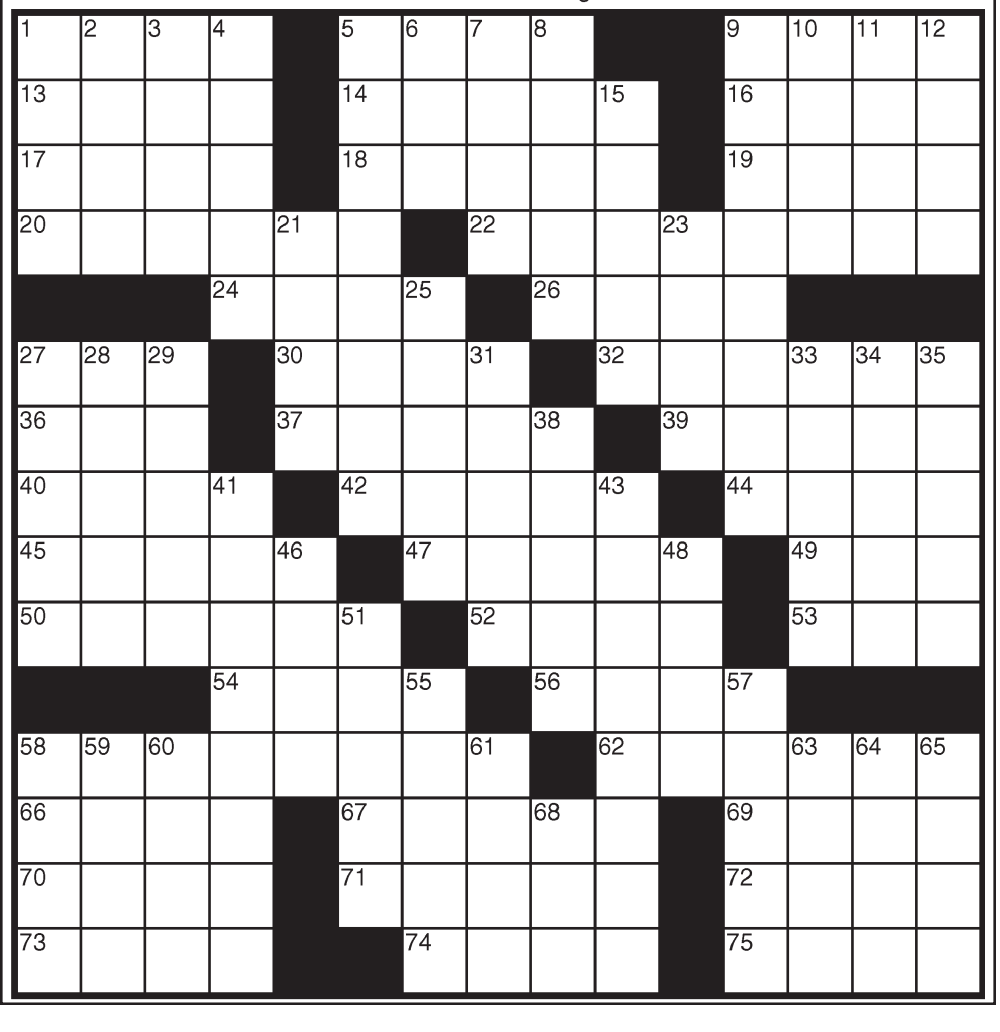

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I'VE GOT SOME SATURDAY CHORES FOR YOU, BEETLE
THANK HEAVENS TOMORROW IS THE DAY OF REST
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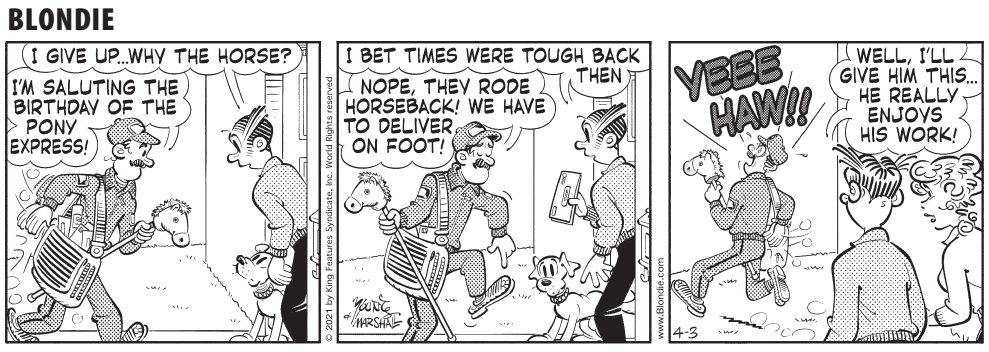
I GIVE UP...WHY THE HORSE?
I'M SALUTING THE BIRTHDAY OF THE PONY EXPRESS!
I BET TIMES WERE TOUGH BACK THEN
NOPE, THEY RODE HORSEBACK! WE HAVE TO DELIVER ON FOOT!
YEEE HAW!!
WELL, I'LL GIVE HIM THIS... HE REALLY ENJOYS HIS WORK!
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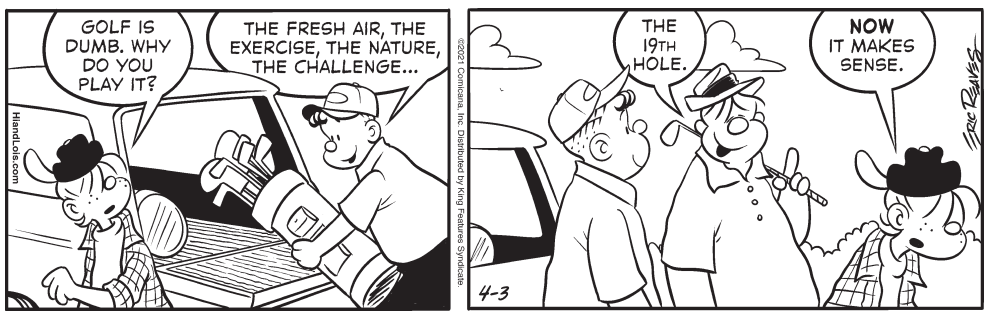
GOLF IS DUMB. WHY DO YOU PLAY IT?
THE FRESH AIR, THE EXERCISE, THE NATURE, THE CHALLENGE...
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THE 19TH HOLE.
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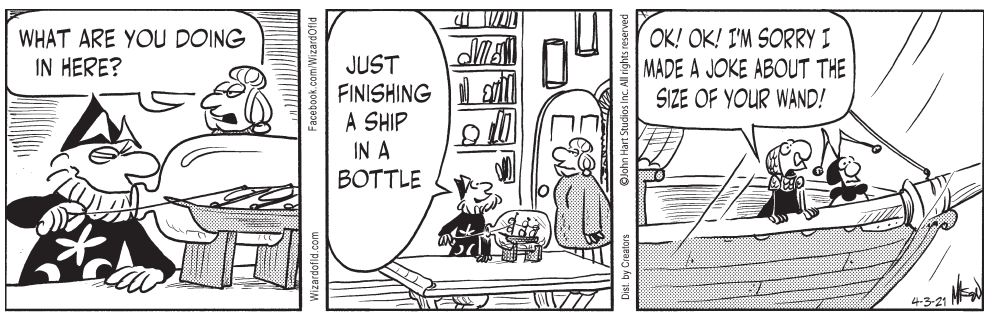
WHAT ARE YOU DOING IN HERE?
JUST FINISHING A SHIP IN A BOTTLE
OK! OK! I'M SORRY I MADE A JOKE ABOUT THE SIZE OF YOUR WAND!
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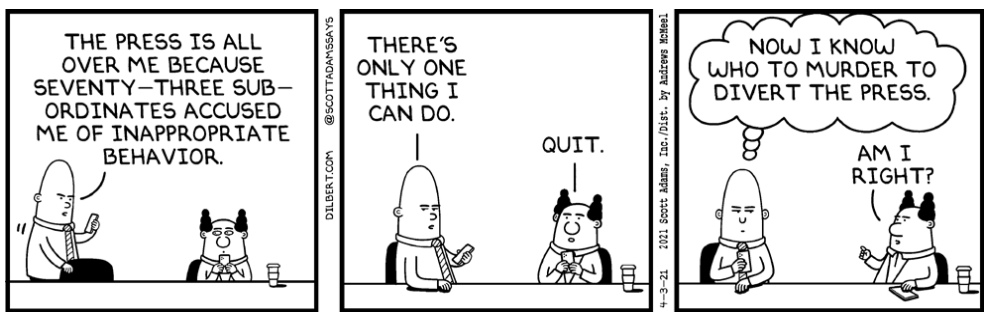
THE PRESS IS ALL OVER ME BECAUSE SEVENTY-THREE SUB-ORDINATES ACCUSED ME OF INAPPROPRIATE BEHAVIOR.
THERE'S ONLY ONE THING I CAN DO.
QUIT.
NOW I KNOW WHO TO MURDER TO DIVERT THE PRESS.
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FORT KNOX

I'M NO LONGER BITTER ABOUT YOU GOING TO SPACE CAMP.
THAT'S GOOD, NORMAN.
YES, AND I DECIDED TO BUILD A ROCKET WHILE YOU'RE AT CAMP.
THAT DOESN'T SOUND SAFE.
RELAX... IT WILL BE 100% SAFE FOR ME.
HOW CAN YOU BE SO SURE?
BECAUSE I'M SENDING HER.
JUPITER, HERE I COME!
CRASH
TEST
DUM
ME
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PICKLES

WOO HOO!
MY FITBIT SAYS I'VE REACHED MY STEPS GOAL FOR THE DAY!
WELL, HOW ABOUT THAT?
MY FATBUTT SAYS I'VE REACHED MY SEDENTARY GOAL FOR THE DAY!
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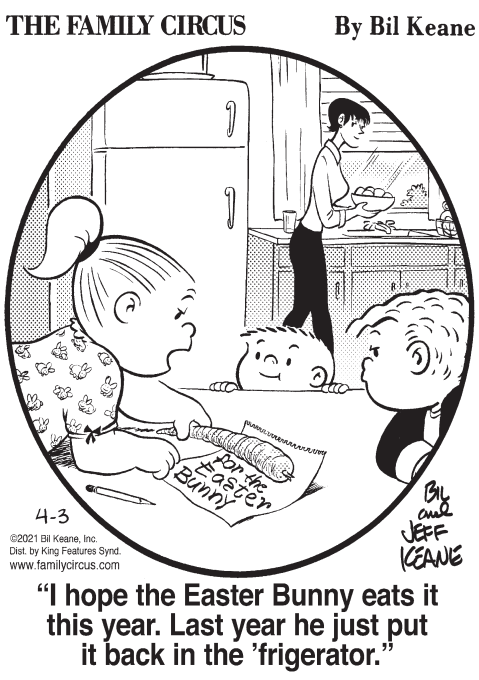

"I hope the Easter Bunny eats it this year. Last year he just put it back in the 'frigerator."

DENNIS THE MENACE

"I HOPE THAT GUY KNOWS A GOOD PLUMBER!"

BABY BLUES

I'M GLAD YOU GOT TO SEE STAN AGAIN.
YEAH. HE'S STILL CRAZY.
I CAN'T BELIEVE SOME OF THE STUNTS WE PULLED IN COLLEGE!
DETAILS, BUT NO BIG WORDS, OKAY?
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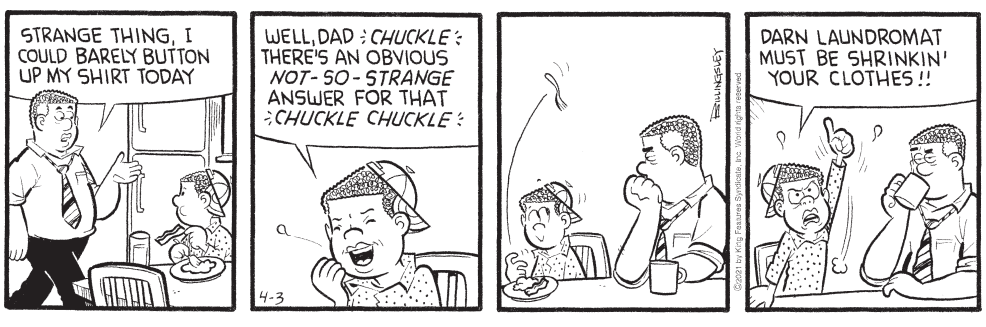
STRANGE THING, I COULD BARELY BUTTON UP MY SHIRT TODAY
WELL, DAD :CHUCKLE: THERE'S AN OBVIOUS NOT-SO-STRANGE ANSWER FOR THAT :CHUCKLE CHUCKLE:
DARN LAUNDROMAT MUST BE SHRINKIN' YOUR CLOTHES!!
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ZITS

JEREMY, WHEN'S THE LAST TIME YOU DID SOMETHING NICE FOR SARA?
LIKE WHAT?
I DON'T KNOW... JUST A SMALL GESTURE.
IT DOESN'T HAVE TO BE A BIG DEAL.
I'M HOLDING IN THREE BURPS AND A FART.
WHAT'S THE OCCASION?
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Husband needs constant reassurance

ANNIE **LANE**
DEAR ANNIE

Dear Annie: My husband and I have been married for almost 12 years. We have been together for almost 20 years and have three beautiful children. The problem is that he has always needed more assurance of love than me — e.g., he asks, "Do you love me," even though I constantly remind him that I love and appreciate him. It's lately been more annoying because I just had a baby. I've done everything to show him love. I've even disregarded my doctors' recommendations of the minimum time off intimacy, postpartum.

I've tried in many different ways to show him. I use verbal reassurance and I also show him by doing things I know he appreciates. The other day he asked me, "How much do you love me?" and I almost lost my temper. My husband has no loving relationship with his mother and everything he has tried to get her attention or for her to show him love of any kind has not been successful. I wonder if that could be the root of it all.

Help me understand what is it that my husband needs and what can I do differently. — Frustrated

Dear Frustrated: It's not about anything that you can do differently. Tell him you love him a million times a day; it won't be enough — not until he gets into therapy and processes his abandonment issues. Urge him to make an appointment today. Offer to go with him to the first session, if that helps him to take this step. With some professional help, he can begin laying the foundation of a healthy sense of self. Otherwise, your attempts to shore him up will be like trying to build a house on quicksand.

Read on for some additional insights that might be relevant to you.

Dear Annie: In a recent response, you wrote, in part: "I recommend reading Melody Beattie's 'Codependent No More' and attending some meetings of a support group such as Families Anonymous before deciding on your next move."

Thank you, thank you, thank you for helping to enlighten folks about codependency, a harmful set of behaviors that, as you point out, enable people to continue in their dysfunction.

The vast majority of answers to help columns such as yours could point people to self-help programs on codependency. One of the key programs is Codependents Anonymous (CoDA), but any -anon group addresses codependency (e.g., Al-Anon, Nar-Anon, Adult Children of Alcoholics).

One of the key phrases from such programs? Mind your own business (MYOB). As the mother lets go and the son experiences the consequences of HIS actions and decisions, the sooner he MAY help himself. No one can do it for him. — Living Freely

Dear Living Freely: "MYOB": I think most of us could use a tattoo of that on the palm. Good across-the-board advice for anyone — and thanks for the recommendation of Codependents Anonymous, another well-respected support group.

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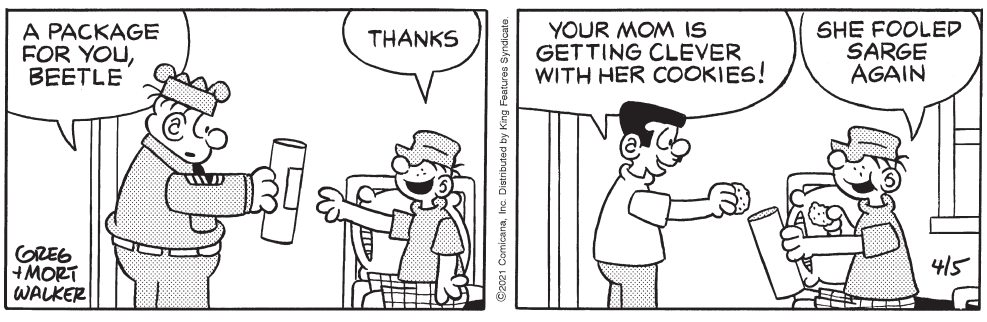
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YOUR MOM IS GETTING CLEVER WITH HER COOKIES!
SHE FOOLED SARGE AGAIN
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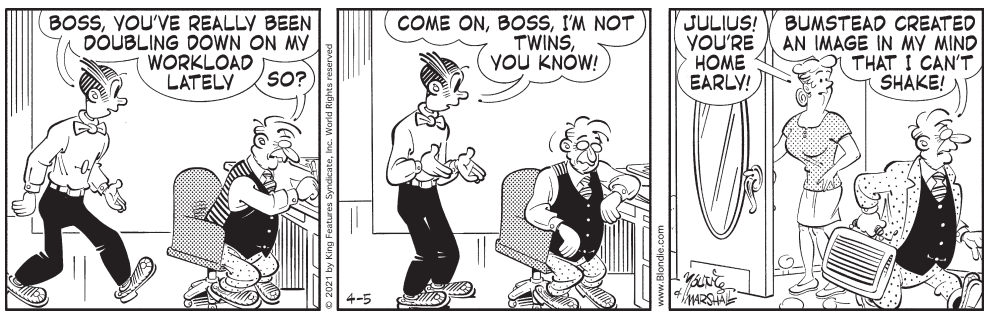
BOSS, YOU'VE REALLY BEEN DOUBLING DOWN ON MY WORKLOAD LATELY
SO?
COME ON, BOSS, I'M NOT TWINS, YOU KNOW!
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JULIUS! YOU'RE HOME EARLY!
BUMSTEAD CREATED AN IMAGE IN MY MIND THAT I CAN'T SHAKE!
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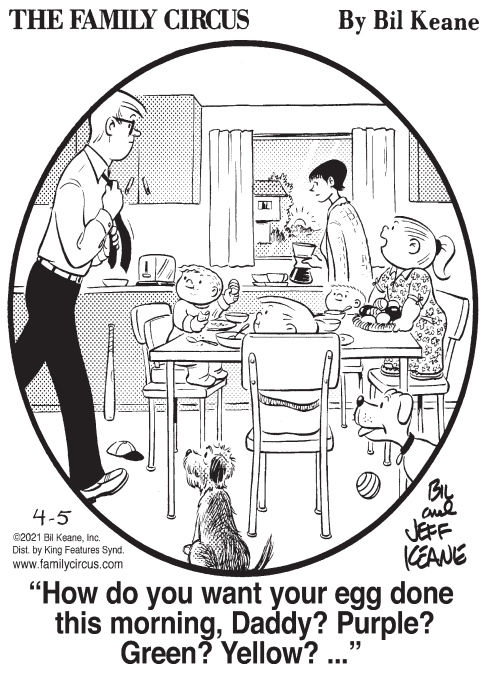

"How do you want your egg done this morning, Daddy? Purple? Green? Yellow? ..."

DENNIS THE MENACE

"I BET SHE FEEDS HER PUPPY IN A HIGH CHAIR."

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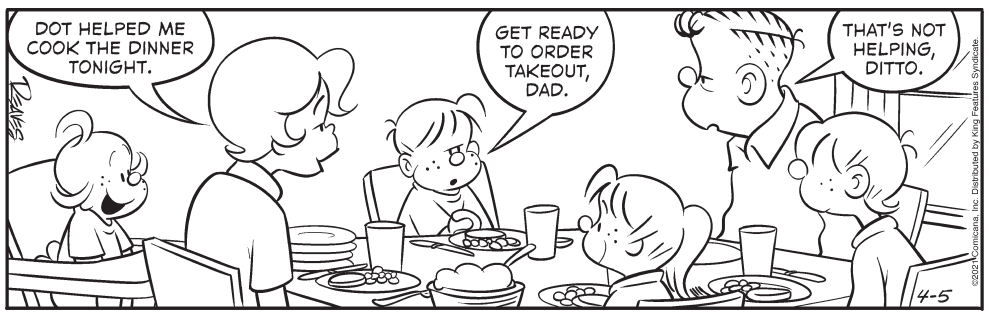
DOT HELPED ME COOK THE DINNER TONIGHT.
GET READY TO ORDER TAKEOUT, DAD.
THAT'S NOT HELPING, DITTO.
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BABY BLUES

I WANT TO GIVE DAD SOMETHING COOL FOR HIS BIRTHDAY, BUT I DON'T KNOW WHAT.
WELL, CAN YOU THINK OF SOMETHING THAT MAKES HIM HAPPY?
...AND THEN SHE SAID, "THAT LADY AT THE HARDWARE STORE."
SHE JUST TOLD ME A JOKE ABOUT HAMMERS!
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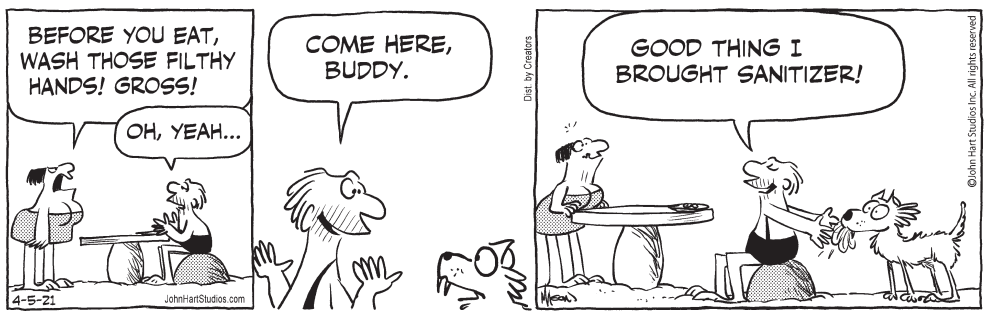

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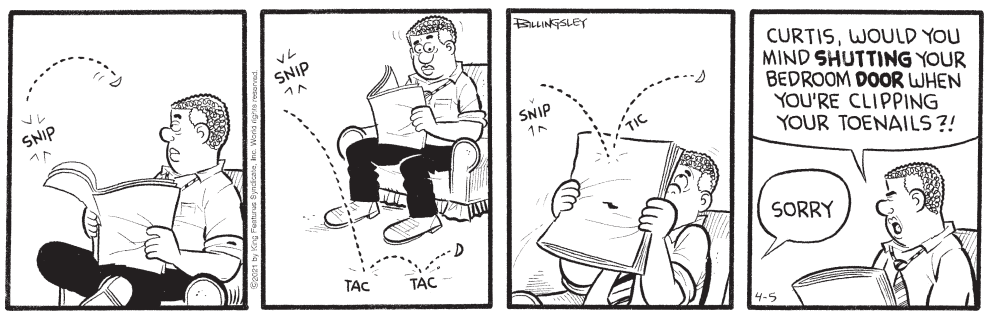

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IT'S PART OF A LEARNING CURVE
LEARNING CURVES SHOULD COME WITH GUARDRAILS
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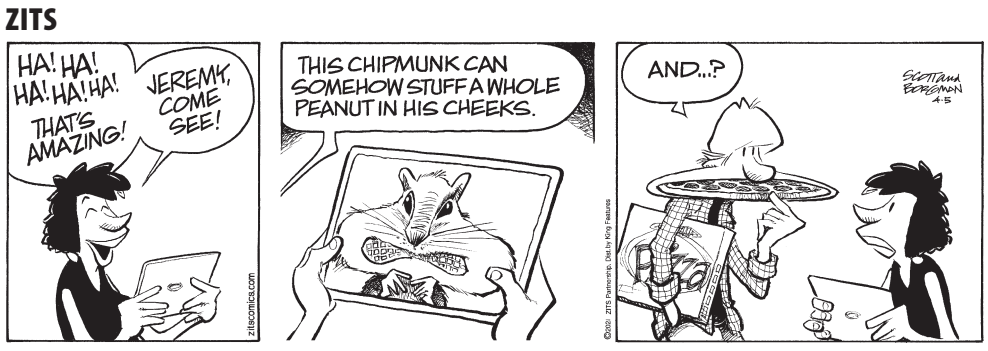
HA! HA! HA! HA! HA! THAT'S AMAZING!
JEREMY, COME SEE!
THIS CHIPMUNK CAN SOMEHOW STUFF A WHOLE PEANUT IN HIS CHEEKS.
AND...?
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DILBERT

DID YOU KNOW HACKERS CAN SEE YOU AND HEAR YOU THROUGH THE CAMERAS ON YOUR DIGITAL DEVICES?
IN FACT, SOMEONE WITH MY SKILLS COULD DO IT IN MINUTES AND NEVER BE DETECTED.
WHAT ARE YOU TRYING TO TELL ME?
IT'S JUST SOMETHING TO KEEP IN MIND WHEN YOU DO MY PERFORMANCE REVIEW.
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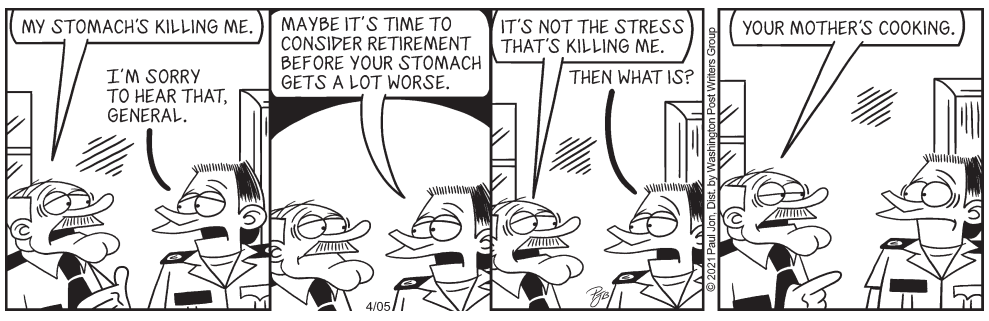
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I'M SORRY TO HEAR THAT, GENERAL.
MAYBE IT'S TIME TO CONSIDER RETIREMENT BEFORE YOUR STOMACH GETS A LOT WORSE.
IT'S NOT THE STRESS THAT'S KILLING ME.
THEN WHAT IS?
YOUR MOTHER'S COOKING.
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PICKLES

I THINK I'M TURNING INTO ONE OF THOSE GRUMPY OLD WOMEN WHO COMPLAIN ABOUT EVERYTHING.
YESTERDAY I BARKED AT THE MAILMAN FOR WRINKLING MY JUNKMAIL.
I HATE BEING THAT WAY.
SO YOU'RE GRUMPY ABOUT YOUR OWN GRUMPINESS?
YES. IT REALLY TICKS ME OFF.
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Nearing rock bottom

Dear Readers: I wish you all an enjoyable Easter and Passover. Here's to a spring season filled with new beginnings and lots of hope, happiness and joy. Thank you so much for the joy you bring me through my column each week.

ANNIE **LANE**
DEAR ANNIE

Dear Annie: My 40-year-old son is an alcoholic. He recently went through a divorce and is currently living with my husband and me. He has two beautiful little girls, both under the age of 6, whom I adore. He is unemployed, and while I know he is deeply depressed over losing his wife and job, alcohol is to blame.

I am reaching out to you and your readers to see what I can do. His Alcoholics Anonymous sponsor recently dropped him due to lack of commitment. He refuses to go to rehab — he's been twice — and I worry that he will drink himself to death.

We have tried everything, from tough love (kicked him out) to trying to help and understand his pain and being there for him. I will do everything to take care of my grandbabies. I watch them during the day while their mommy works, and we have them every other weekend when my son has visitation (only because they are with me).

My therapist tells me he has to hit rock bottom, and that may mean homelessness. I am just so heartbroken and cannot see myself doing this. — Out of Options

Dear Out of Options: I'm so sorry for all the suffering you and your son have endured. Alcoholism, like many other diseases, often affects not only the alcoholic but also the entire family and group of friends. I recommend you try Al-Anon, a support program for people whose lives have been affected by someone else's alcoholism. By sharing common experiences and applying the Al-Anon principles, group members can bring positive changes to their individual situations, whether or not the alcoholic seeks help.

You sound like a wonderful grandmother. Keep up the good work, and know that people do recover from this terrible disease.

Dear Annie: My boyfriend, "John," and I have been together for 2 1/2 years. John is 37, and I'm 29.

The other day, he surprised me by announcing to our friends, "She doesn't want kids!" When I asked him about it the next day, he basically said he doesn't see me as a parent. This took me aback. I'll admit I've never mentioned wanting kids as passionately as most other people, but I've often wondered about being a parent, and imagined boy or girl names and all the things I would like to do as a family.

I love this man very much. But I'm at a loss for words. I know I would make a good mom someday, when the time is right, but evidently, John doesn't think so. — Family Matters

Dear Family Matters: Evidently, John has no consideration for your feelings. Maybe he was projecting his own fears of not being a good father, or maybe he thinks he has reason to believe you wouldn't make a good parent. But the way he handled this was unkind. You two need to have a straight conversation about children. If you want children and he does not, that alone might be a deal breaker. Regardless of his position, it's very important to address this situation before you move forward in your relationship. Tell him you won't tolerate those types of comments and to keep private matters between the two of you.

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